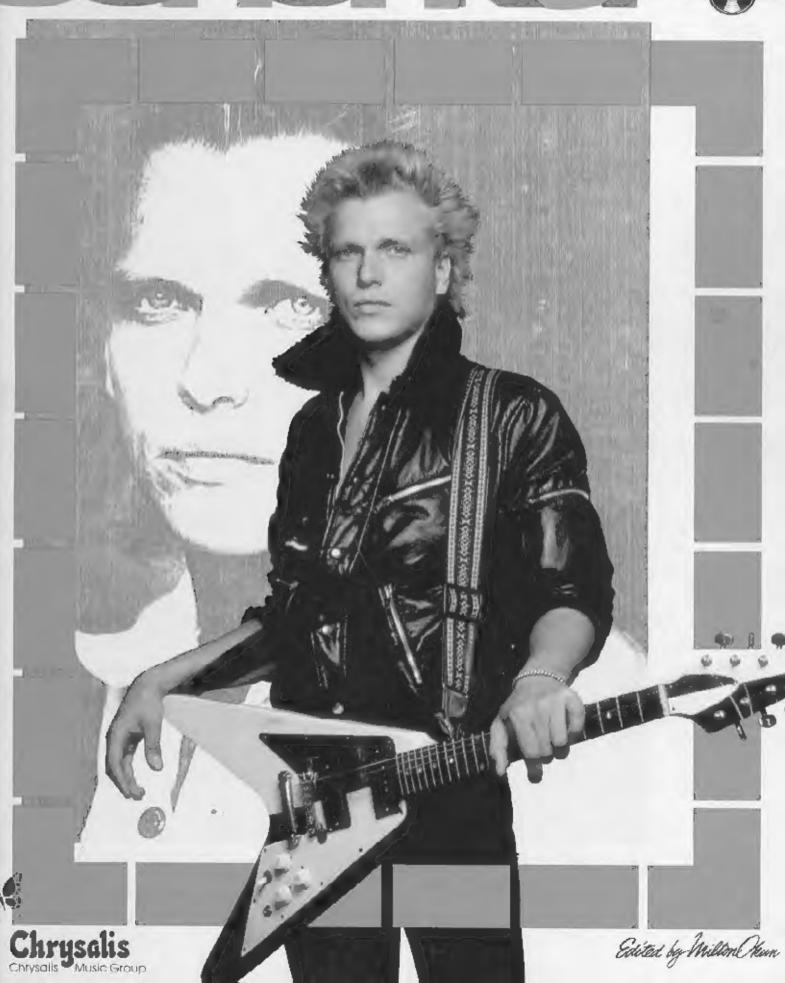
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MICHAEL SCHENKER

Michael Schenker's guitar heroics with the Michael Schenker Group, UFO, and The Scorpions have earned him a place in the heavy metal hall of fame. Guitar Player Magazine concurs: "...his (Schenker's) fluid playing incorporates liquid screams, lightning-fast runs, a well-controlled vibrato, growls, and harmonics—all governed by a strong melodic sense that sings more of creativity than repetition."

The German guitarist has devoted nearly a decade to a non-stop touring and recording schedule. Schenker's virtuosity played an integral part on UFO's Lights Out and Obsession LPs, but he decided to leave UFO, as he had difficulty expressing his own ideas through the band. Schenker's solo career began with 1980's The Michael Schenker Group LP. He was warmly welcomed by fans during tours of America, Europe, and Japan. His touring band consisted of Gary Barden (vocals), Paul Raymond (rhythm guitar and keyboards). Chris Glen (bass), and Cozy Powell (drums). This line-up recorded the second Michael Schenker Group LP, MSG, and continued touring in Europe and Japan. This tour was committed to vinyl, and One Night At Budokan shot to #3 on the UK chart. (One Night At Budokan wasn't released in America.)

After the One Night triumph, Paul Raymond and Gary Barden left the band. The remaining members of the Michael Schenker Group listened to over 700 tapes of prospective vocalists and recruited Graham Bonnett. At the same time, Cozy Powell decided to retire from the band to concentrate on his love of racing cars (he has since joined Whitesnake). Powell's replacement was Ted McKenna, who had previously played drums with Bory Gallagher.

The Michael Schenker Group's third LP, Assault Attack, was produced by Martin Birch and was recorded during the summer of '82 at Le Chateau in France and Musicland Studio in Munich. The album featured Graham Bonnett's vocals, although he had already left the band. At a warm-up gig for the Reading Festival in August of that year, Schenker and Bonnett came to a mutual decision to part company. Gary Barden, who had left MSG six months earlier, agreed to rejoin the band and appear at Reading.

With the line-up finally stabilized, MSG finished 1982 on the road, then rehearsed new material, and wont into Ridge Farm Studios to record Built To Destroy. Originally released in Europe a few months back, the American version of the album has been totally re-mixed by noted producer Jack Douglas, whose previous credits include John Lennon and Aerosmith. "The original version of the album didn't have the sound I wanted," Schenker states. "My manager suggested that we let Jack have a shot at remixing it, and the results are incredible." Built To Destroy features a line-up that includes vocalist Gary Barden, bassist Chris Glen, drummer Ted McKenna and keyboardist Andy Nye in addition to Schenker Schenker has been preparing for his American invasion by playing a series of sold-out shows in Europe and Japan (where Built To Destroy reached #1 on the charts). MSG's American lour is planned for February.

Schenker's highest accolades come from other guitarists. Iron Maiden's Steve Harris says, "Schenker is one of the rock and roll greats. He has a style that a lot of guitarists try and copy. He'll go a blistering lead run down the neck and you'll hear every note as part of a melody," Klaus Meine (Scorpions), remarked, "Michael's never sounded better. Of course, I've known him for years, he was the original lead guitarist in Scorpions, but his guitar work these days is the best it's ever been."

TABLATURE EXPLANATION

Tablature A six line staff that graphically represents the guitar fingerboard. By placing a number on the appropriate line, the string and fret of any note can be indicated. For example:



Bends As every rock player knows, the pitch of a note can be raised by pulling (or pushing) a string across the fingerboard, increasing its tension. In both the traditional and tablature notation the note that is *fingered* is the one indicated. An arrow above the note tells you how far to bend it:the word "½" for a half-step higher, the word "full" for a whole step higher. If the arrow is vertical, have the string pushed over before you strike the note. If the arrow is curved, strike the written note first, then push it higher as indicated.

Silde A slide up to a note looks like — . Start a few frets below the note; strike the string and arrive at the written note at the proper time.

Pull Off (P) Strike any note played with the 2nd, 3rd, or 4th finger and without picking again, pull off the finger sharply so that a lower note sounds.

Hammer On (H) Strike any note played with the 1st, 2nd, or 3rd finger and (without picking again) hammer another finger down sharply so that a higher note sounds.











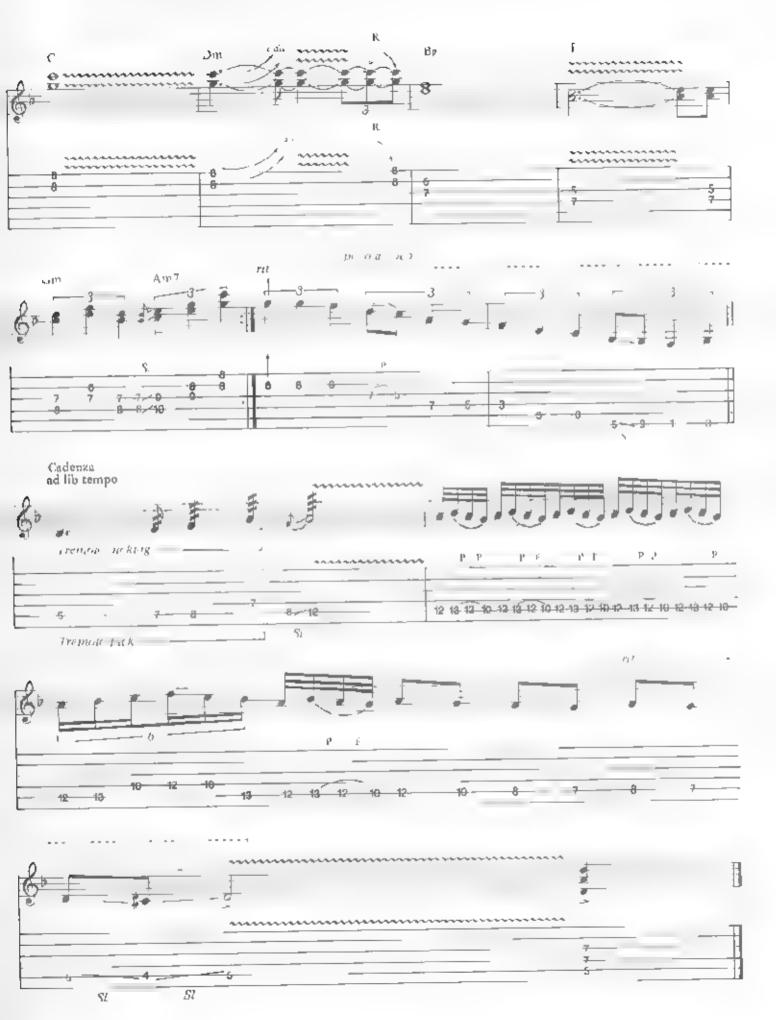




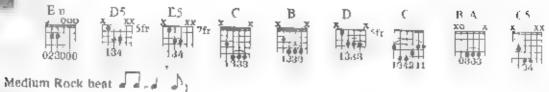




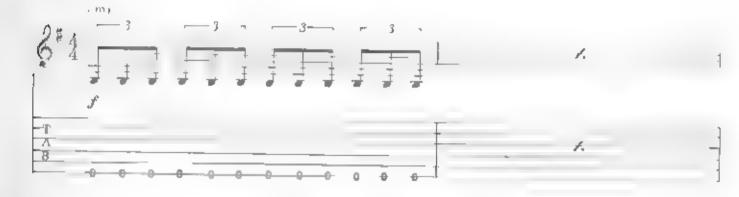




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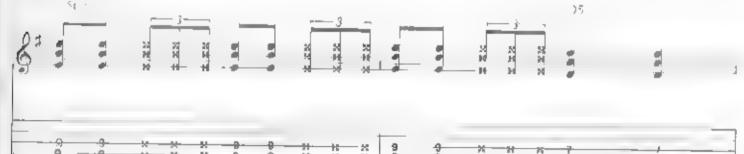


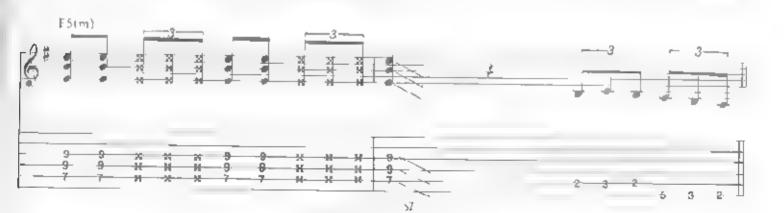
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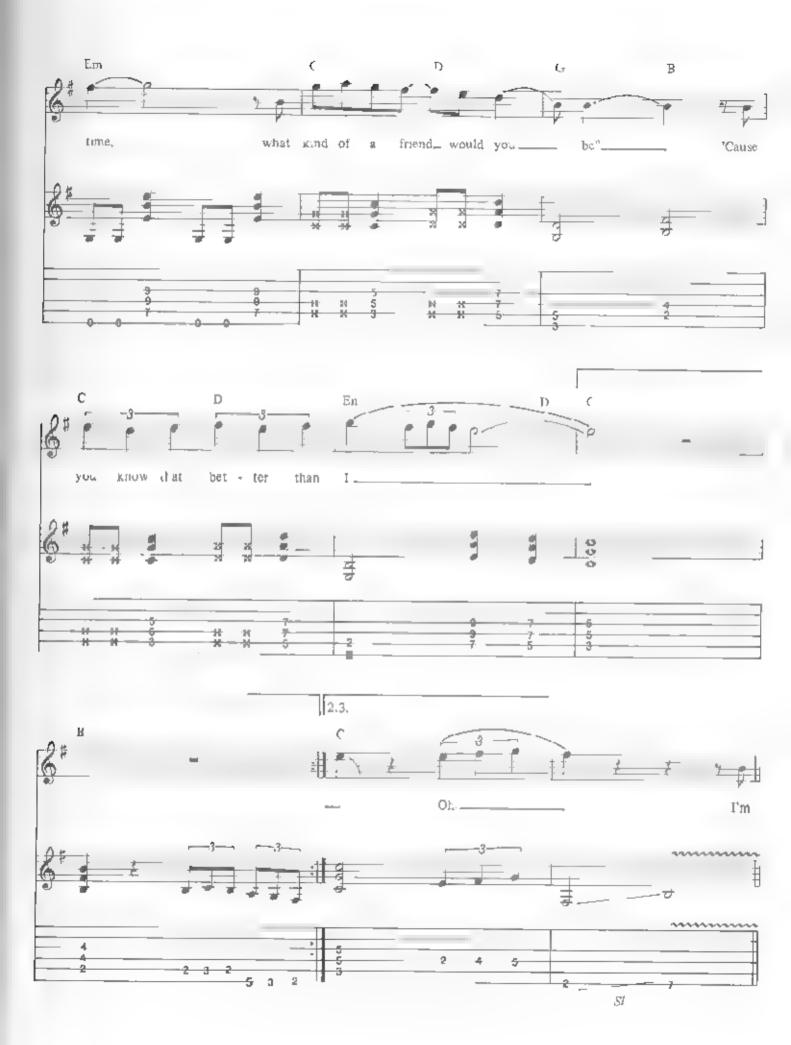




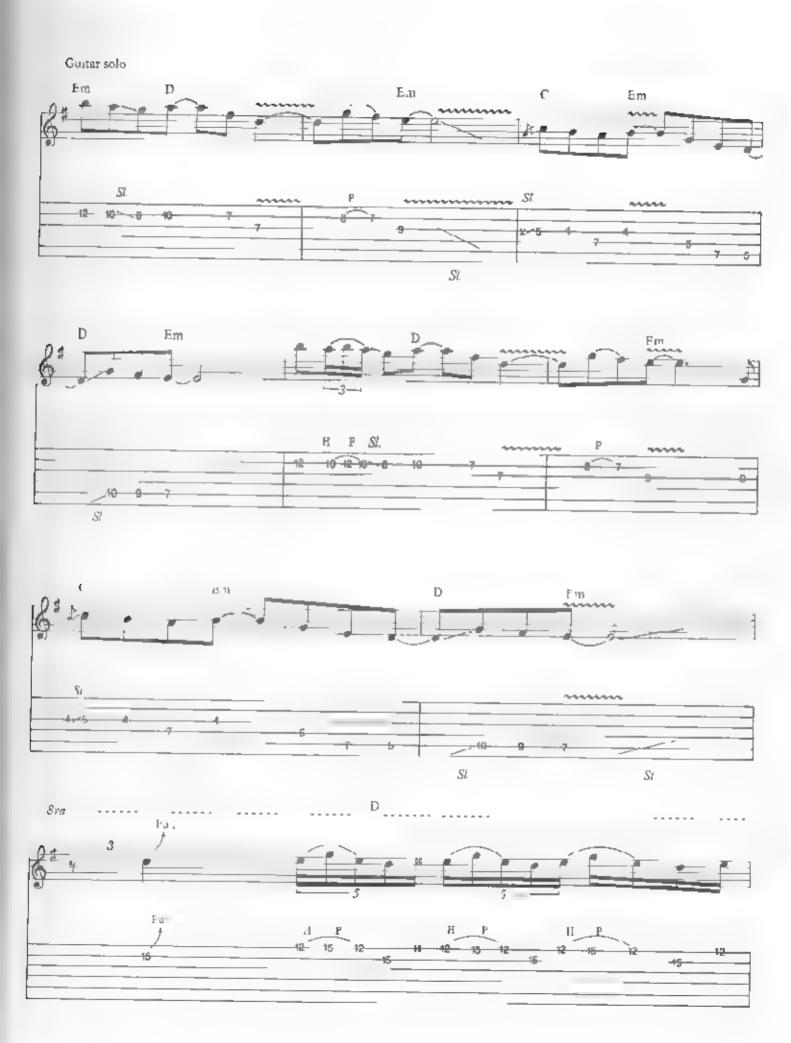


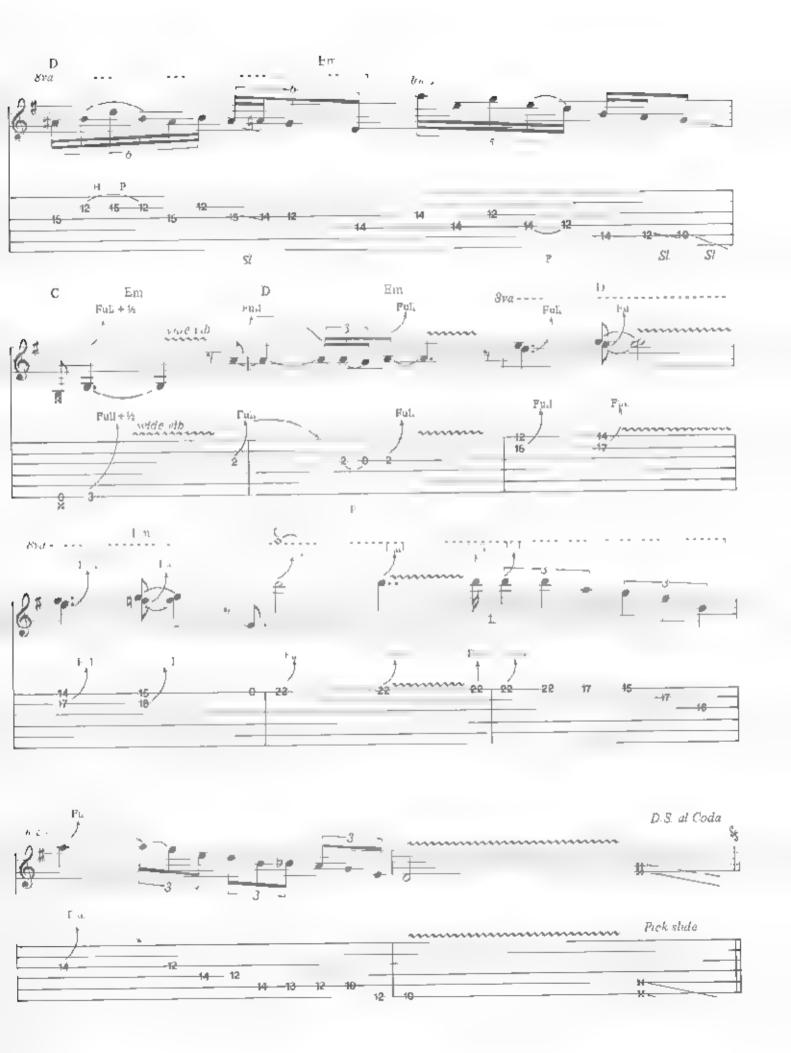


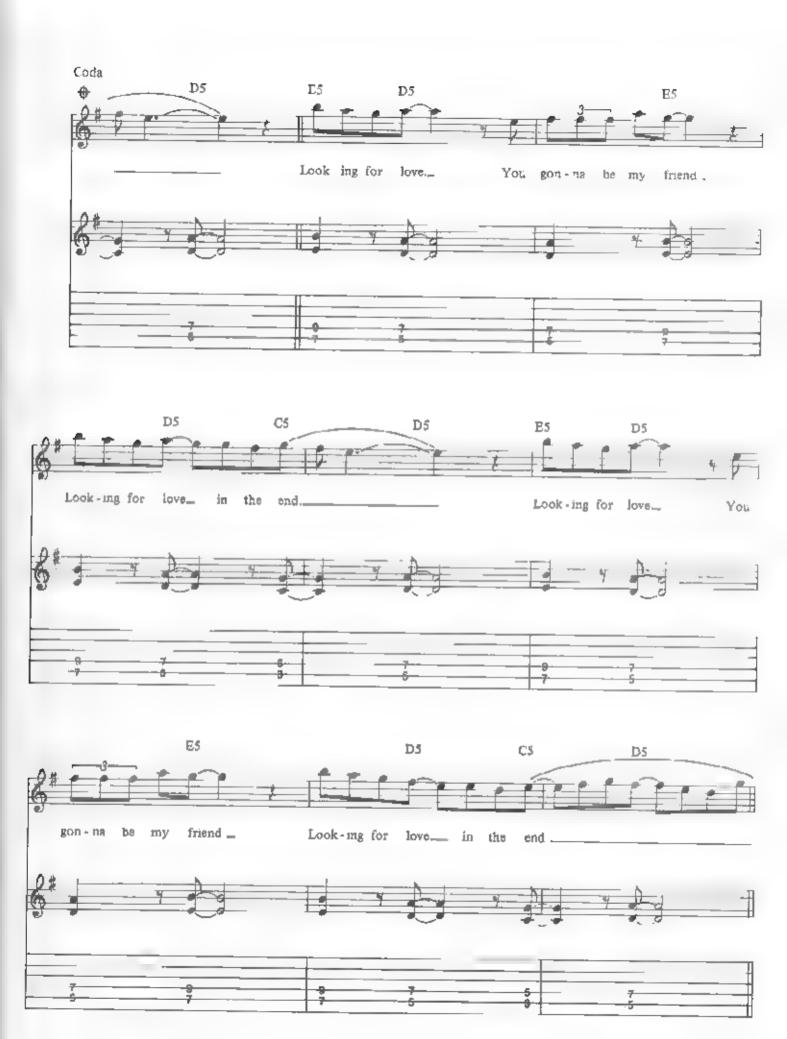








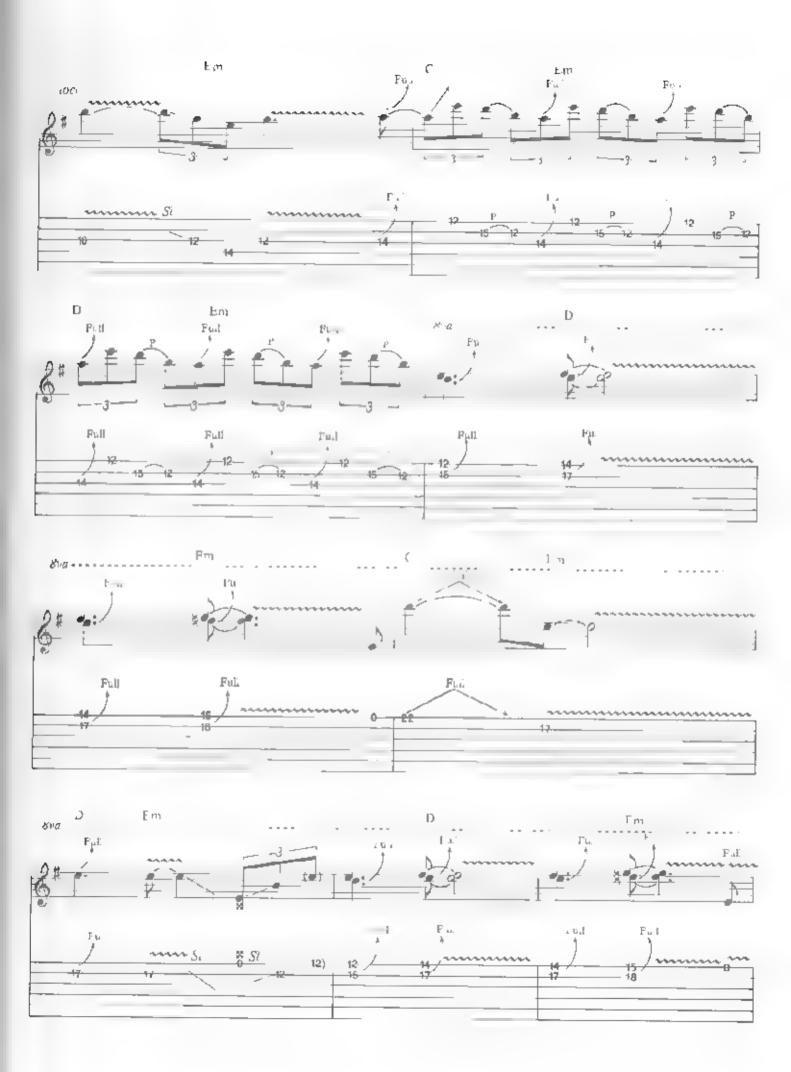














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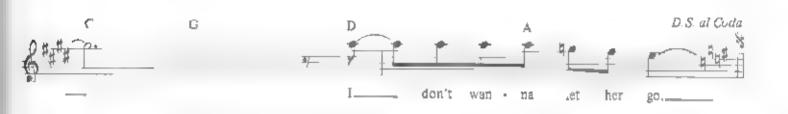


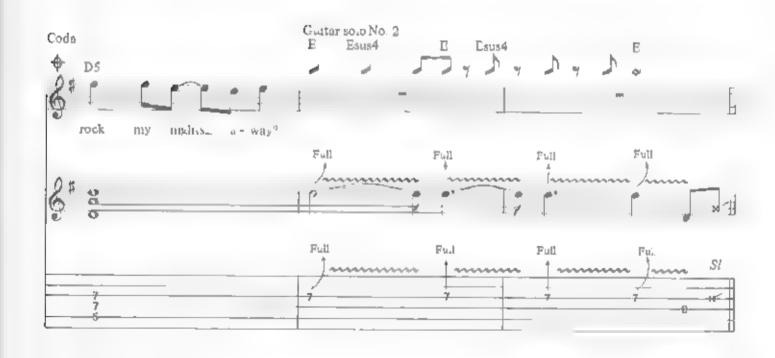


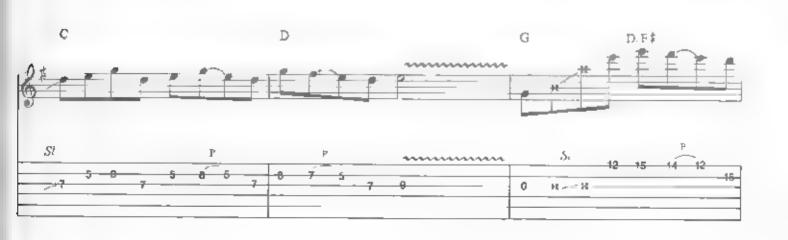




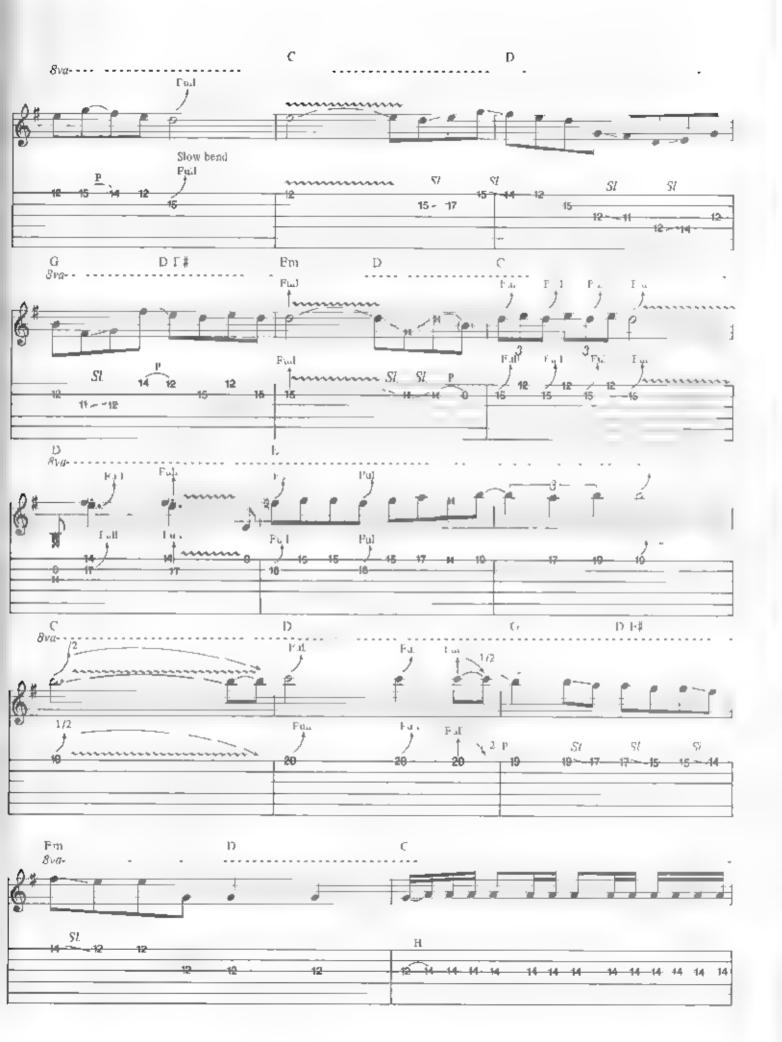


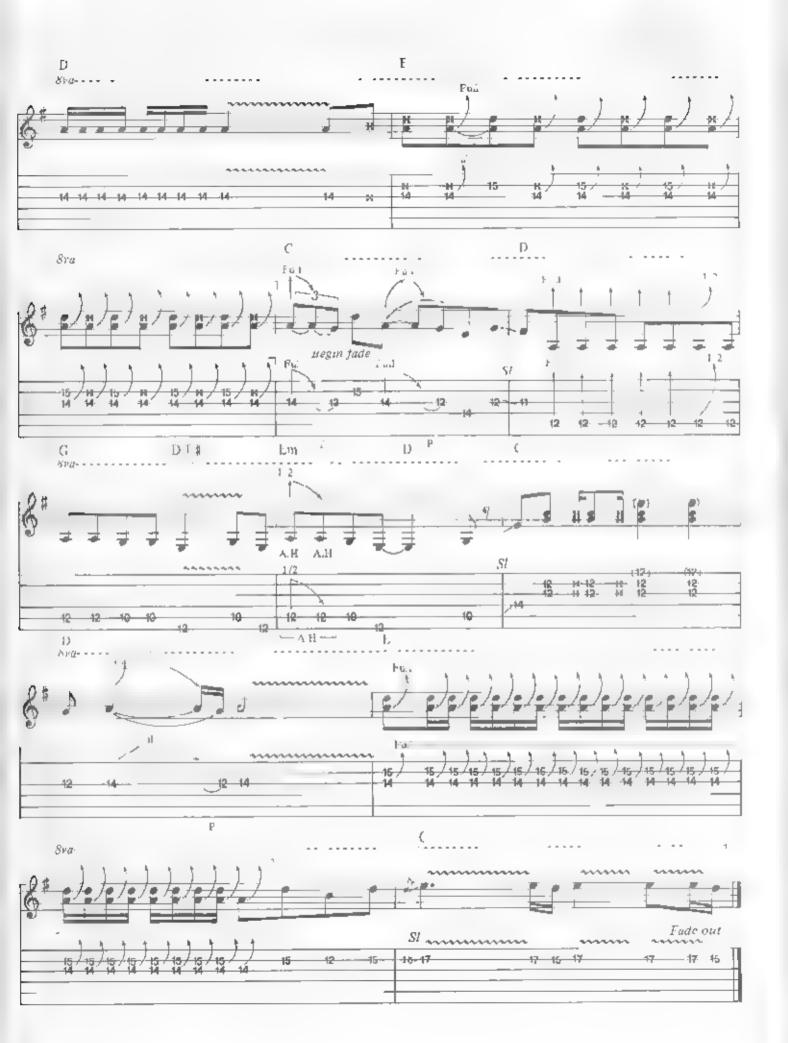










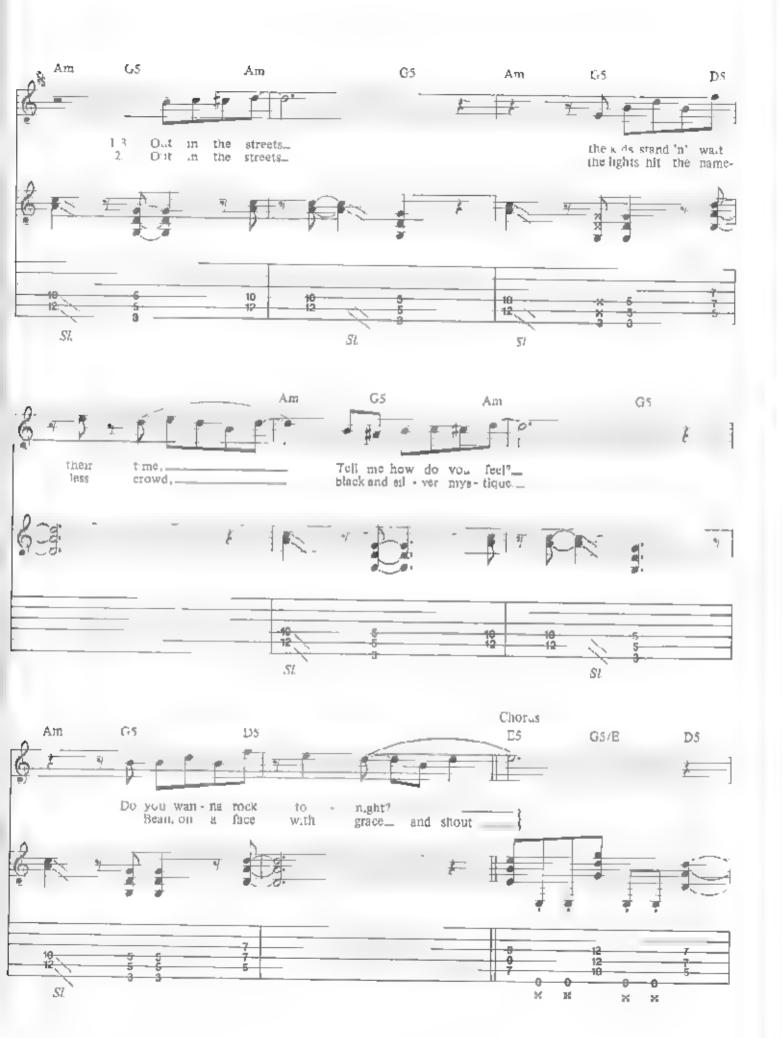


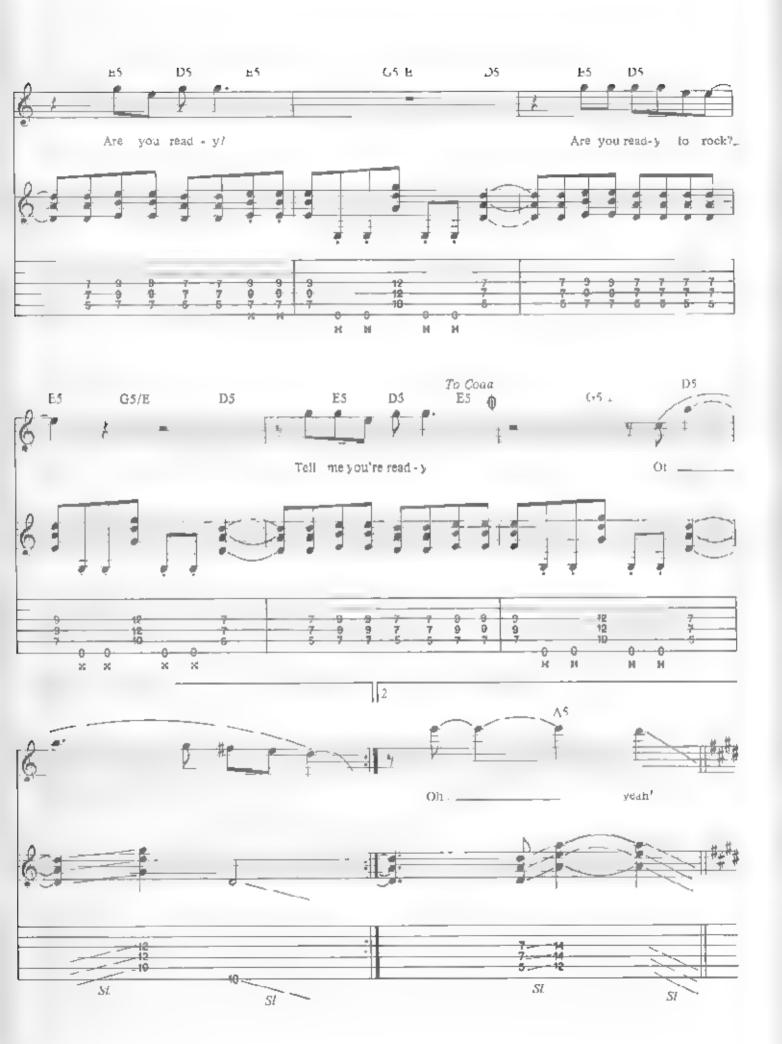
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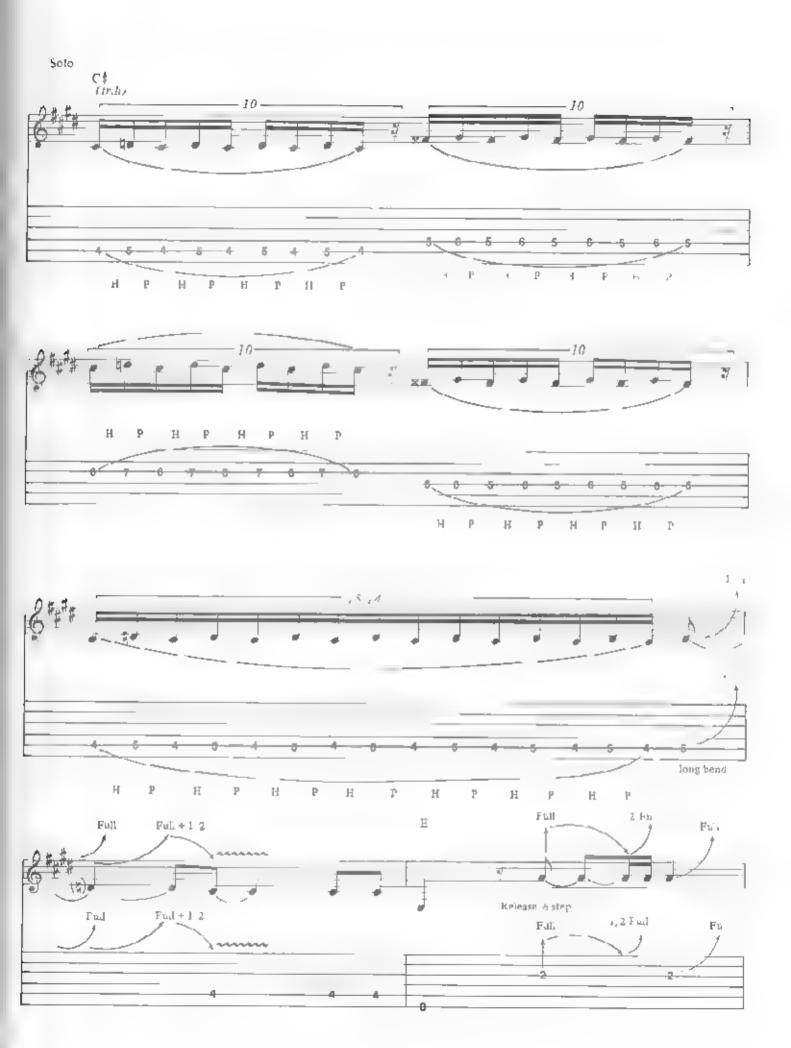
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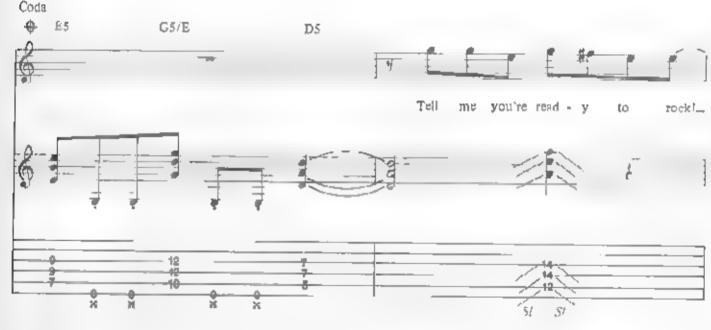


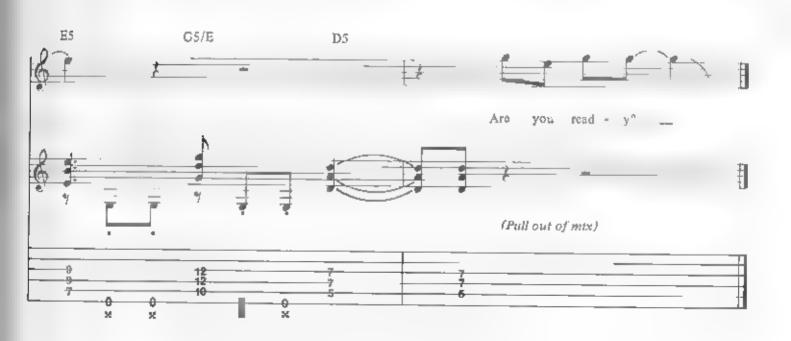










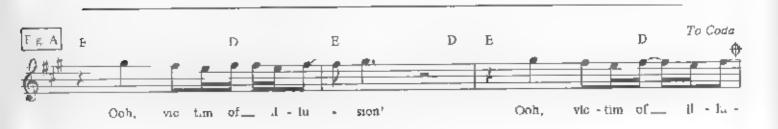


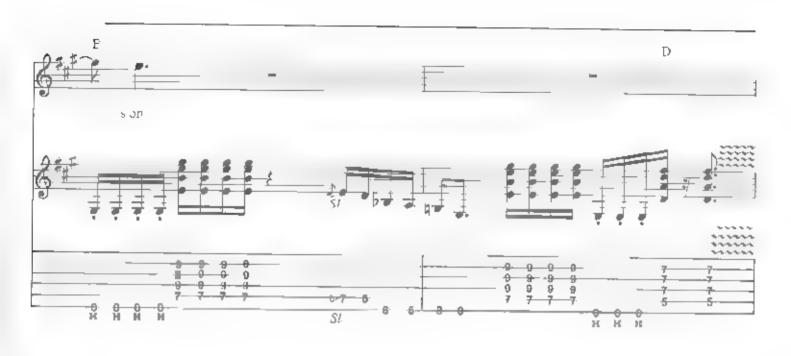


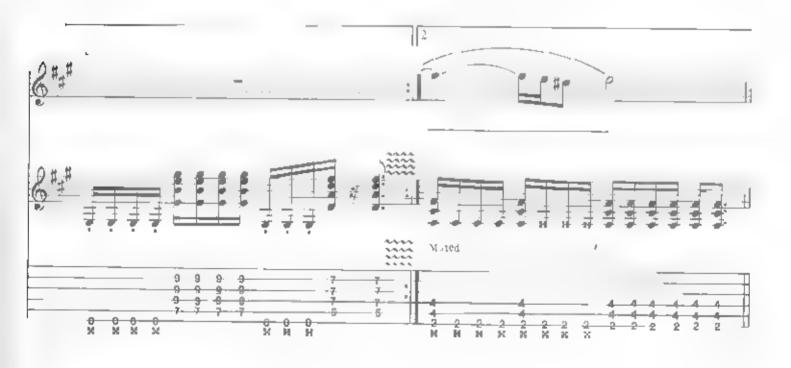
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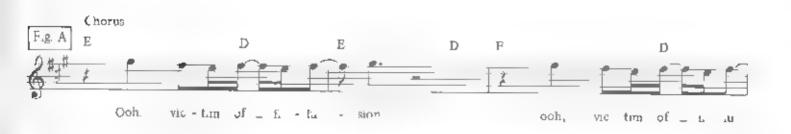


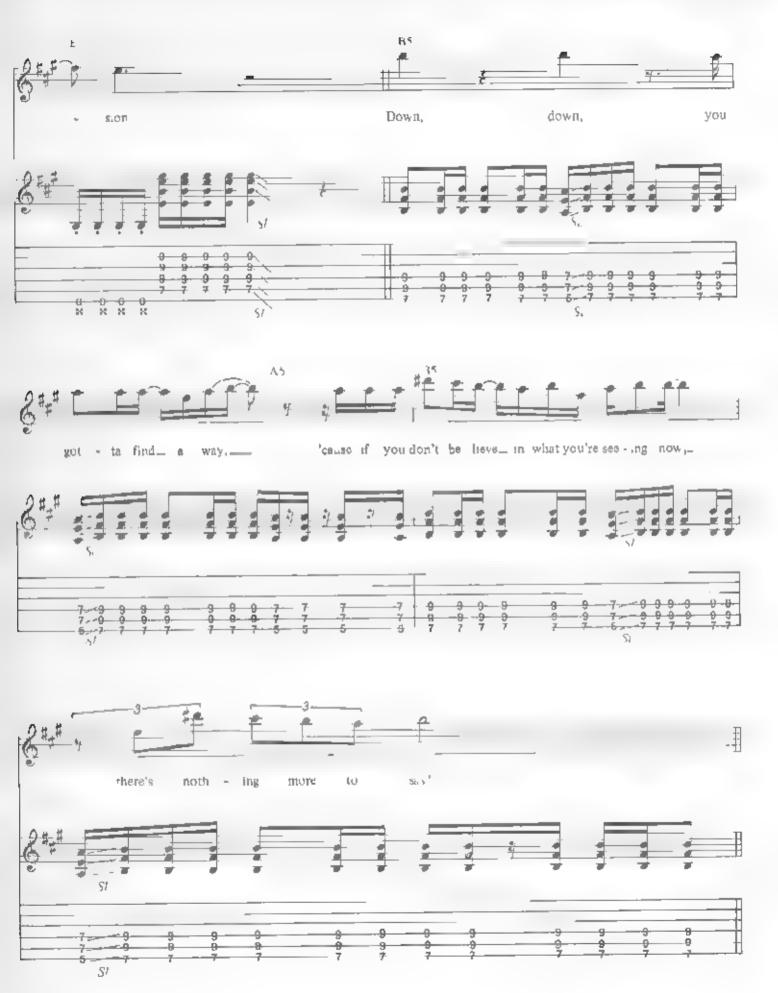




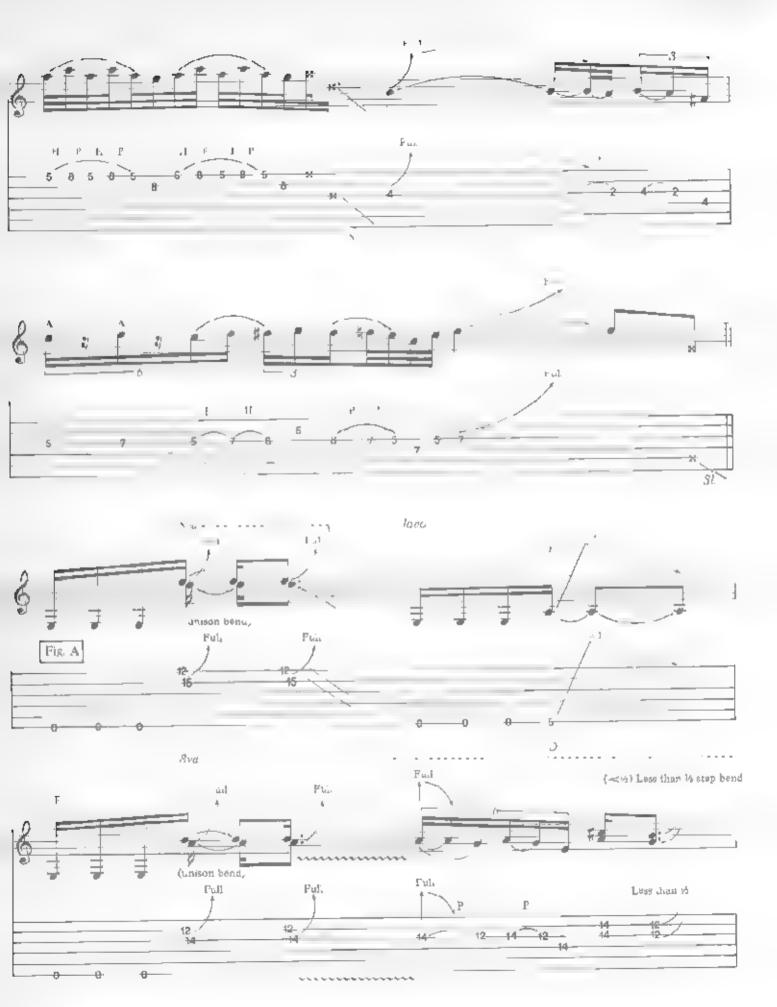








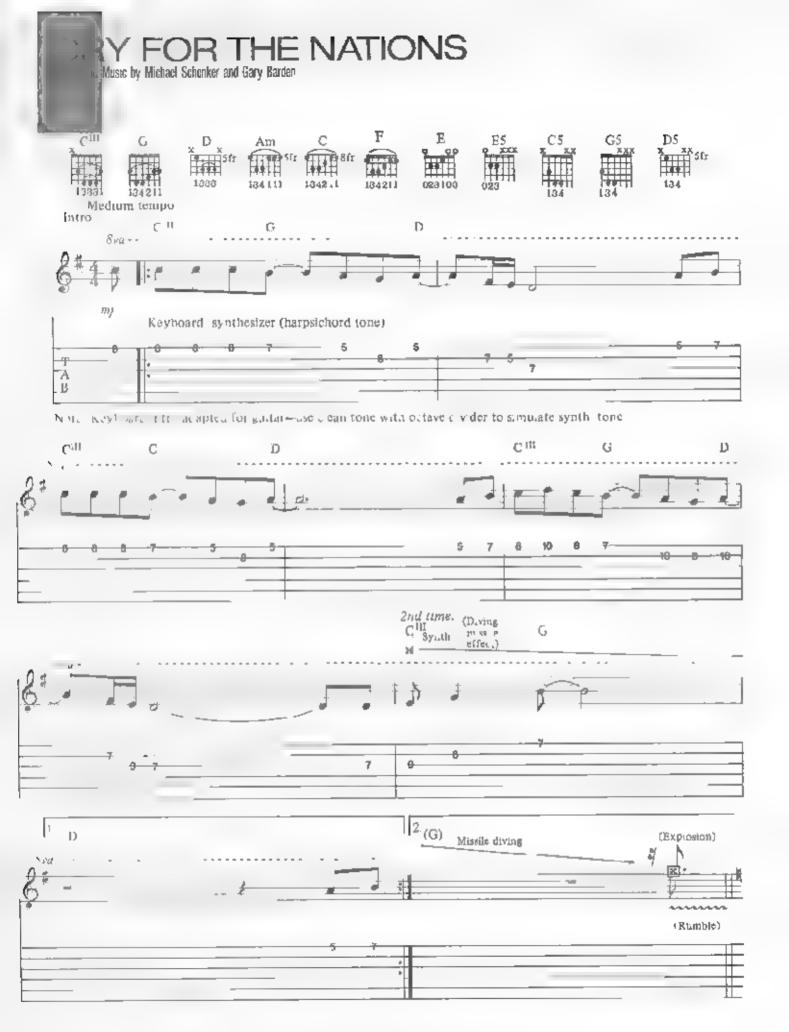


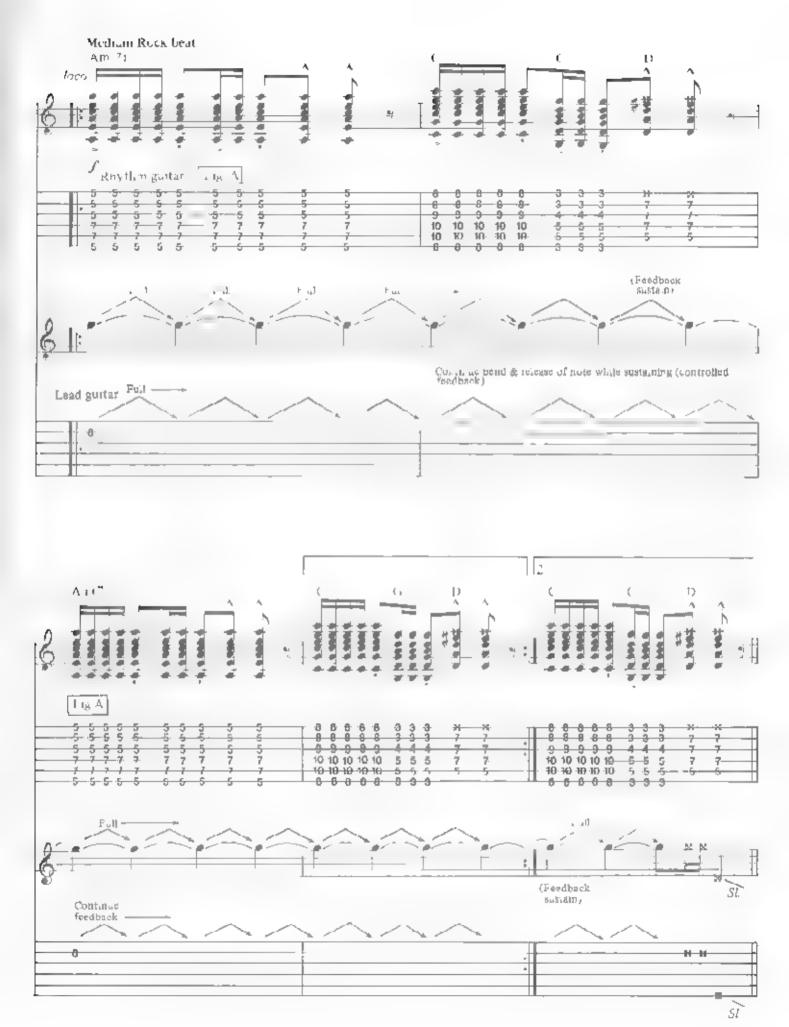






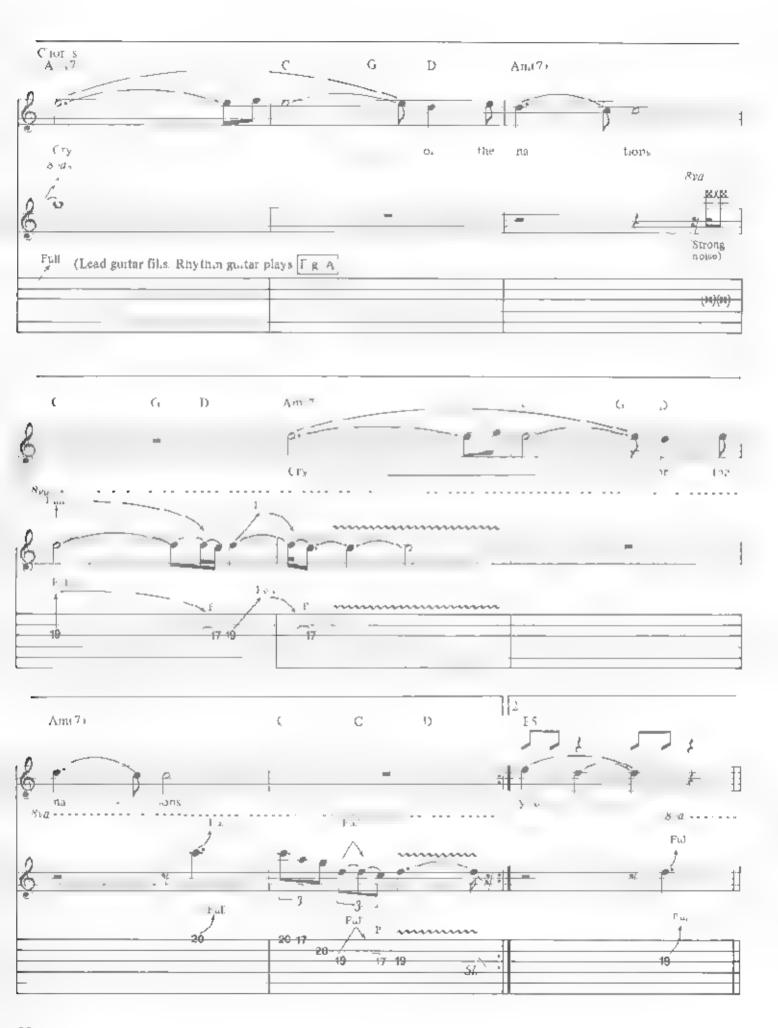


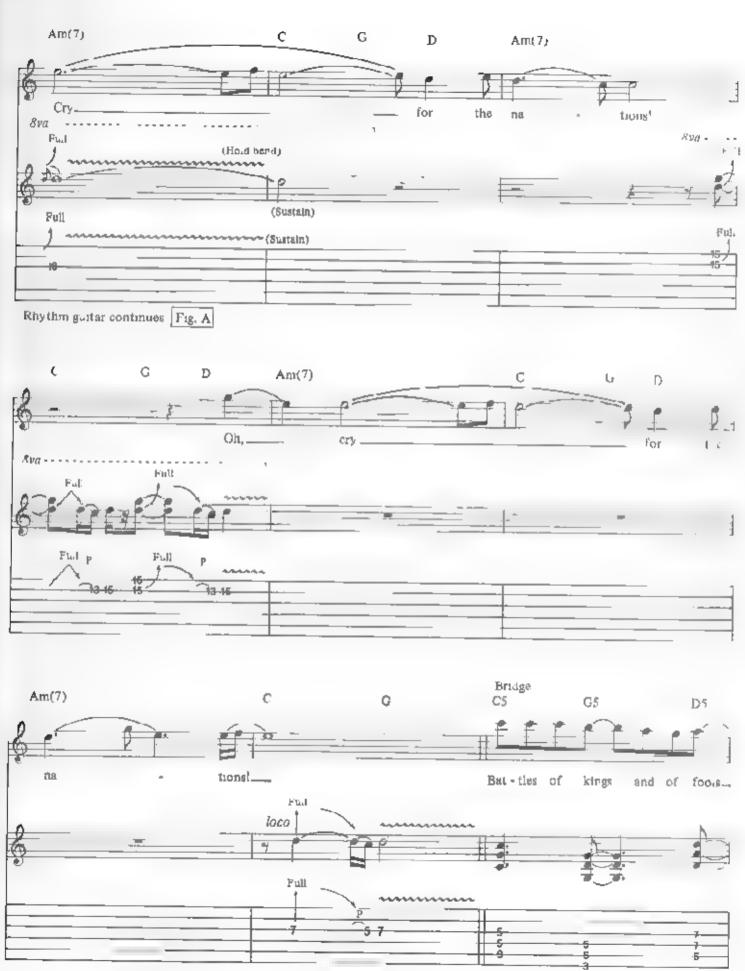














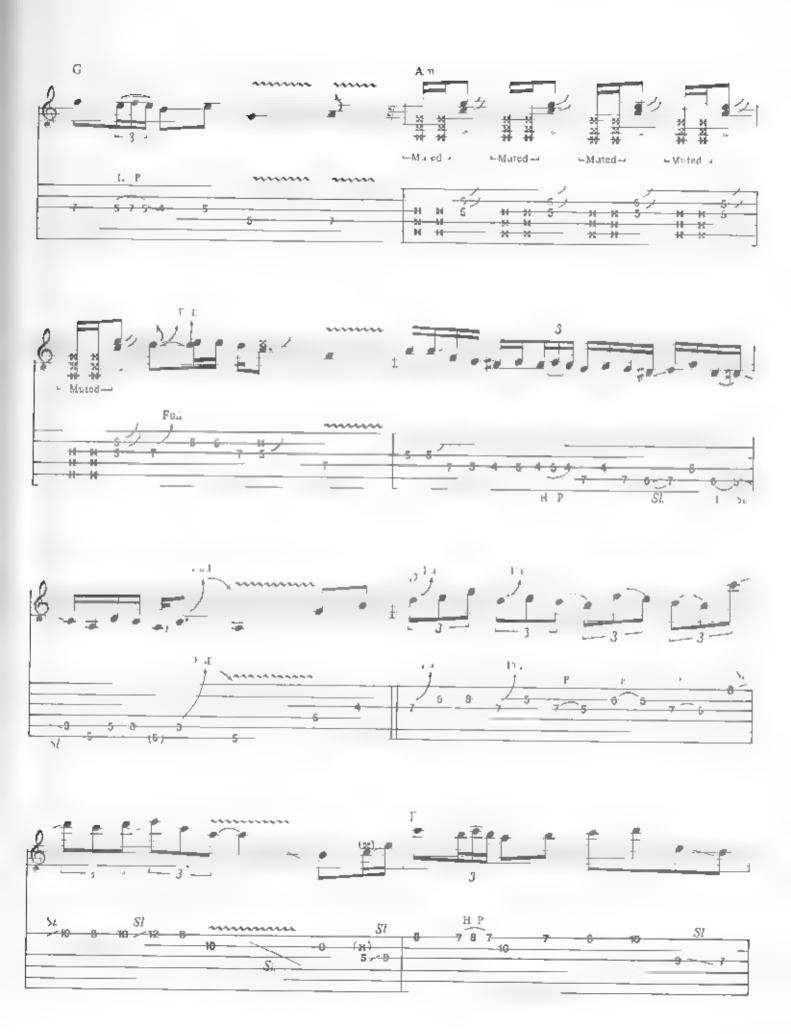


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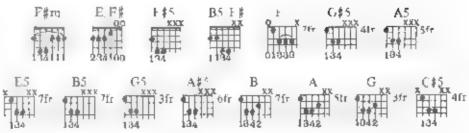




















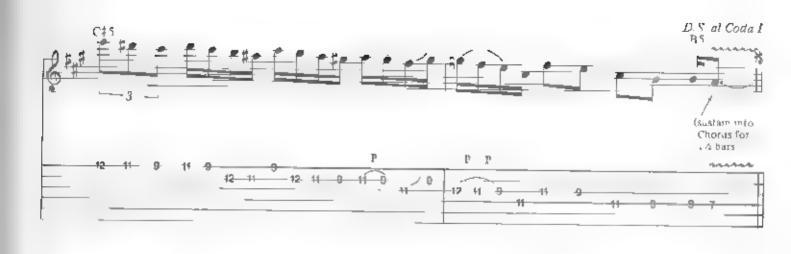


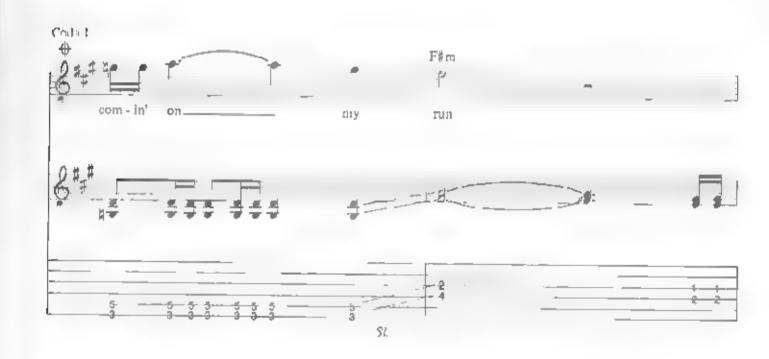


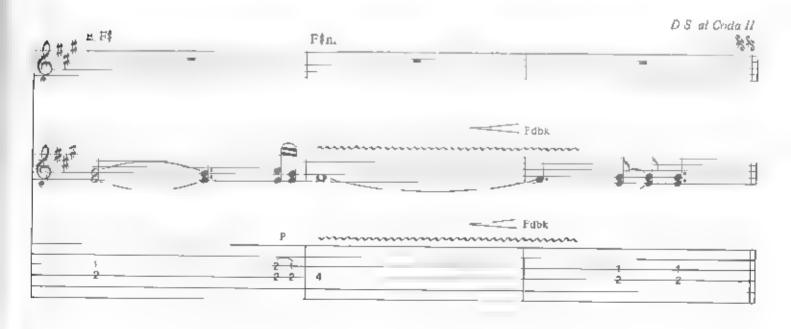




















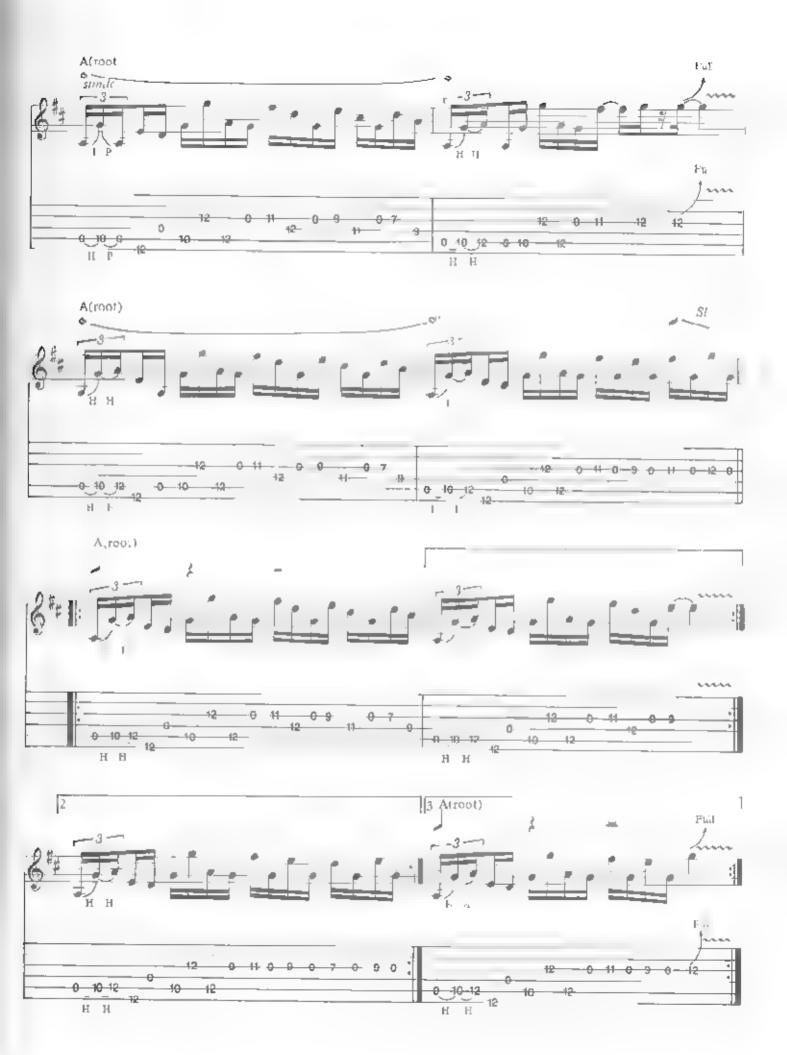


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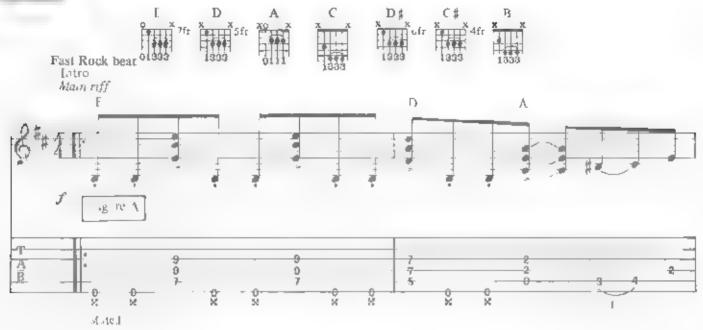


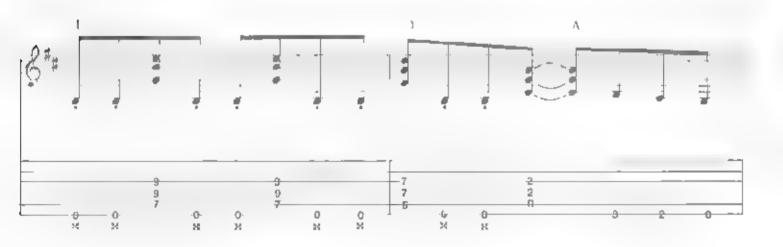


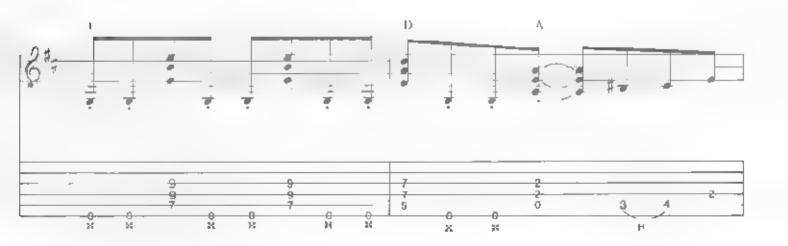




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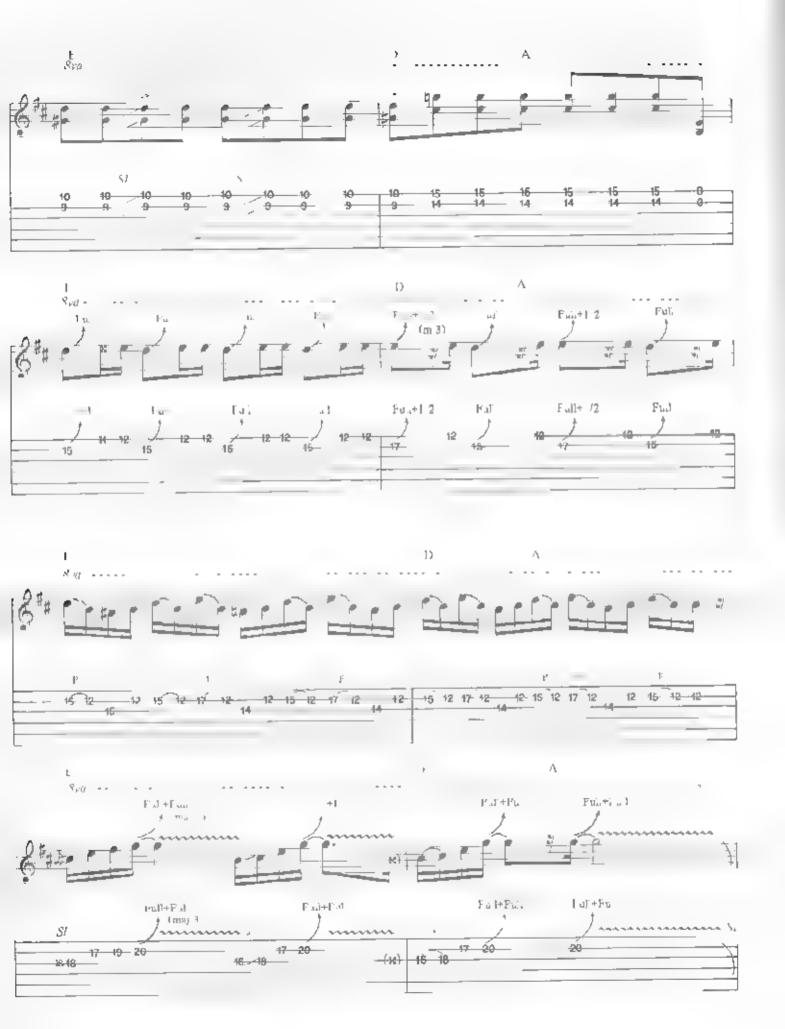




















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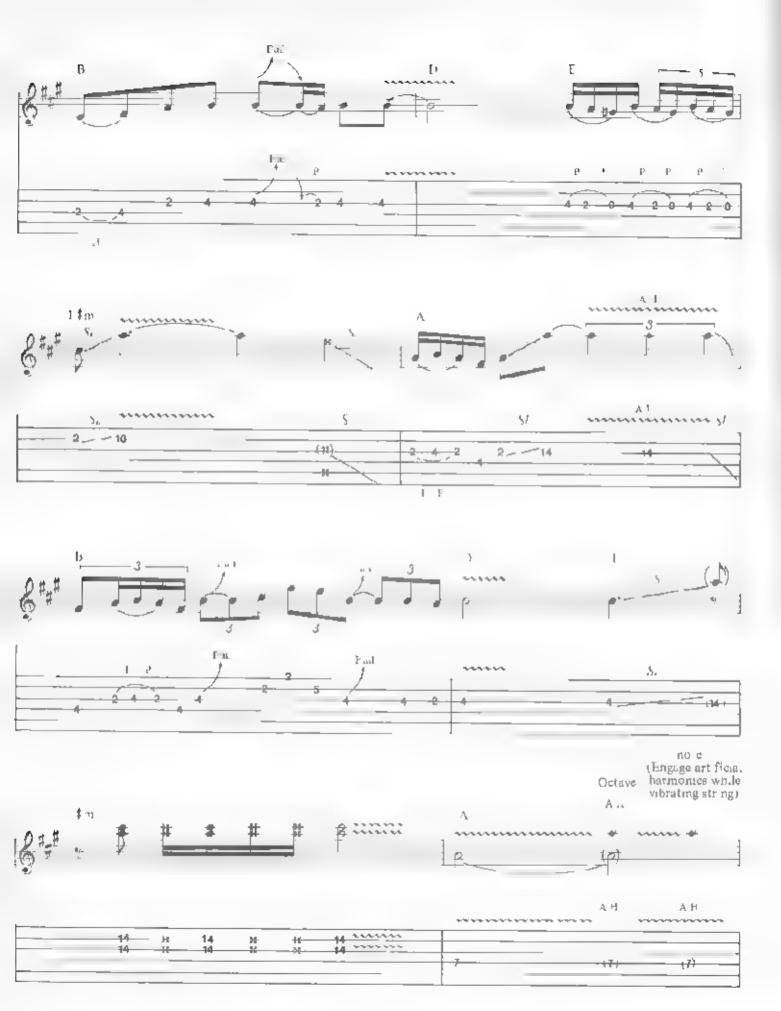










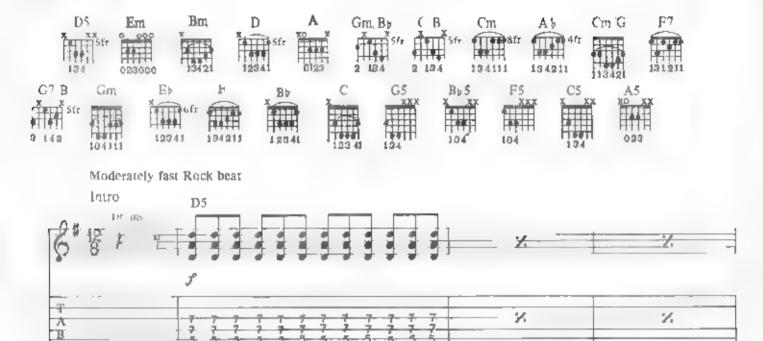






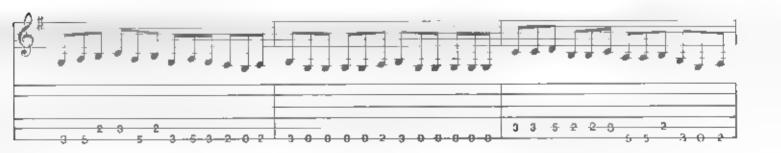


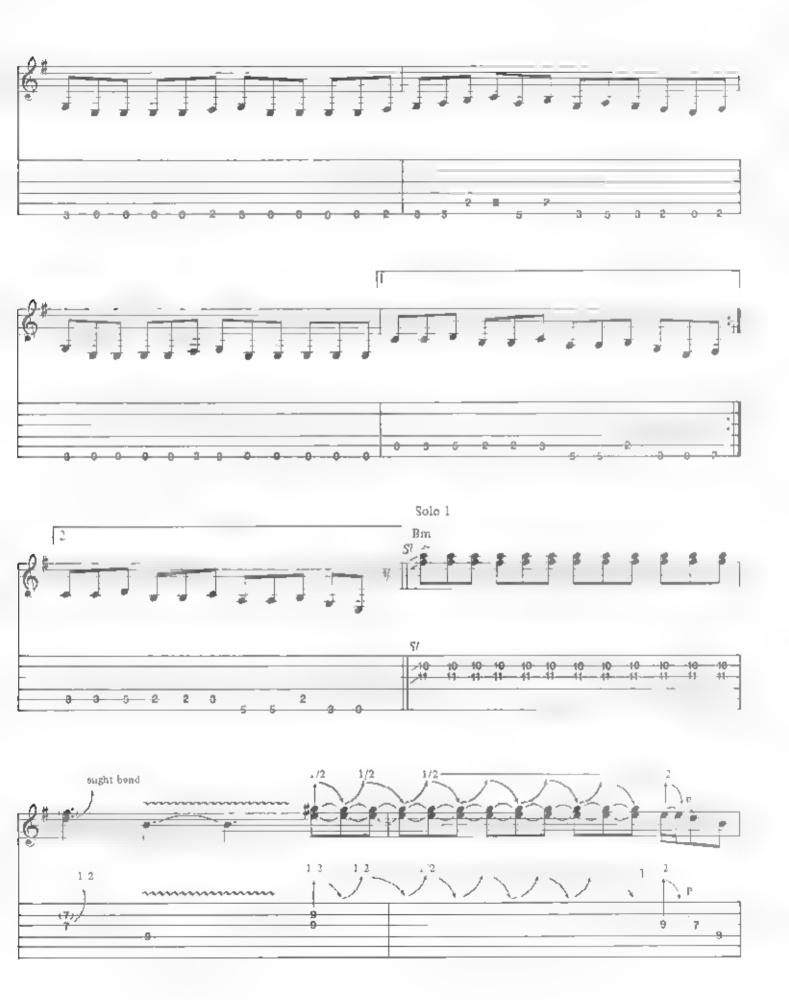








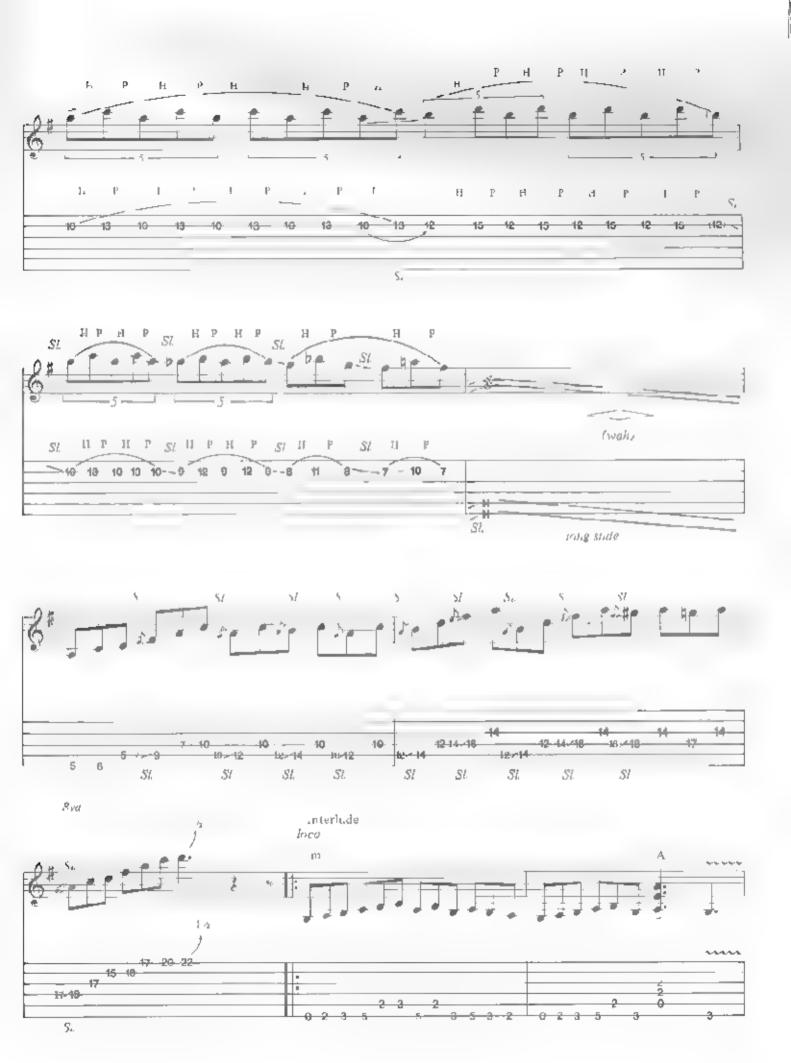












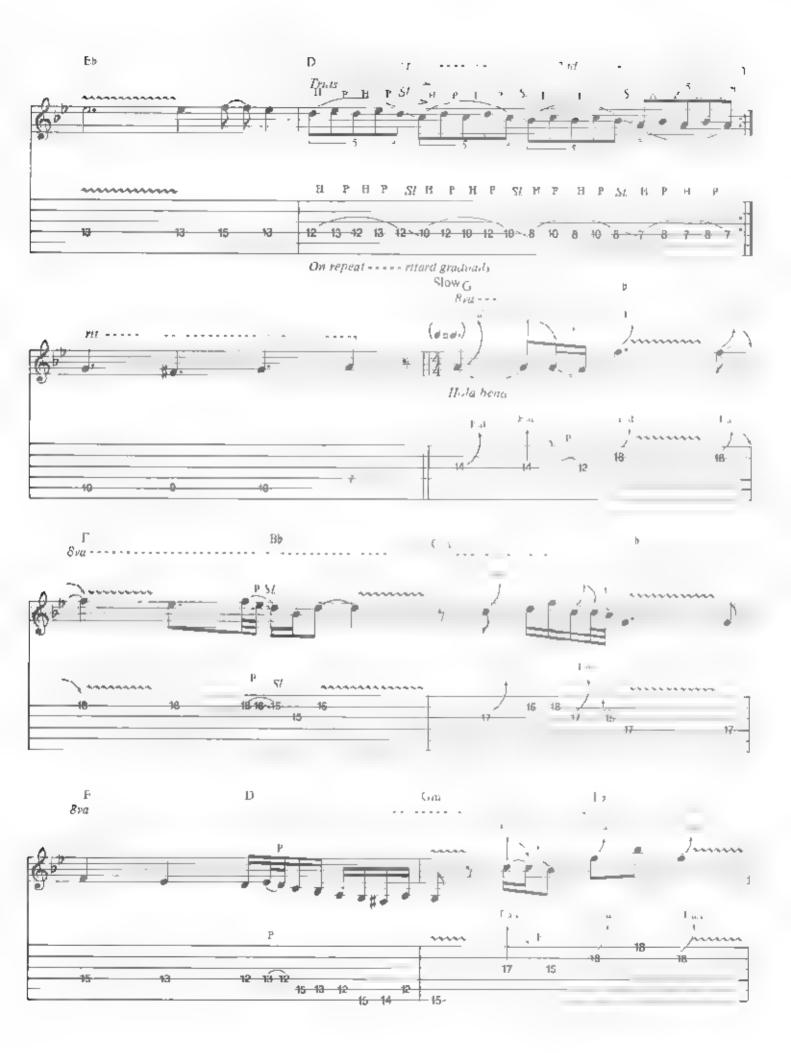


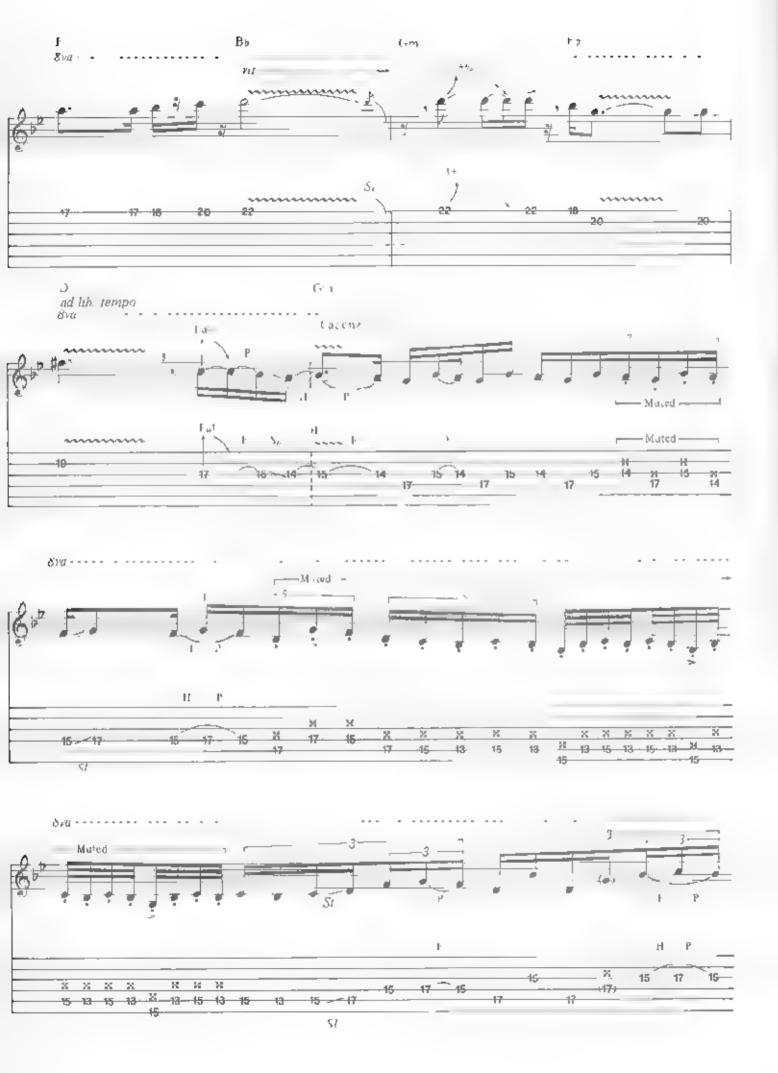
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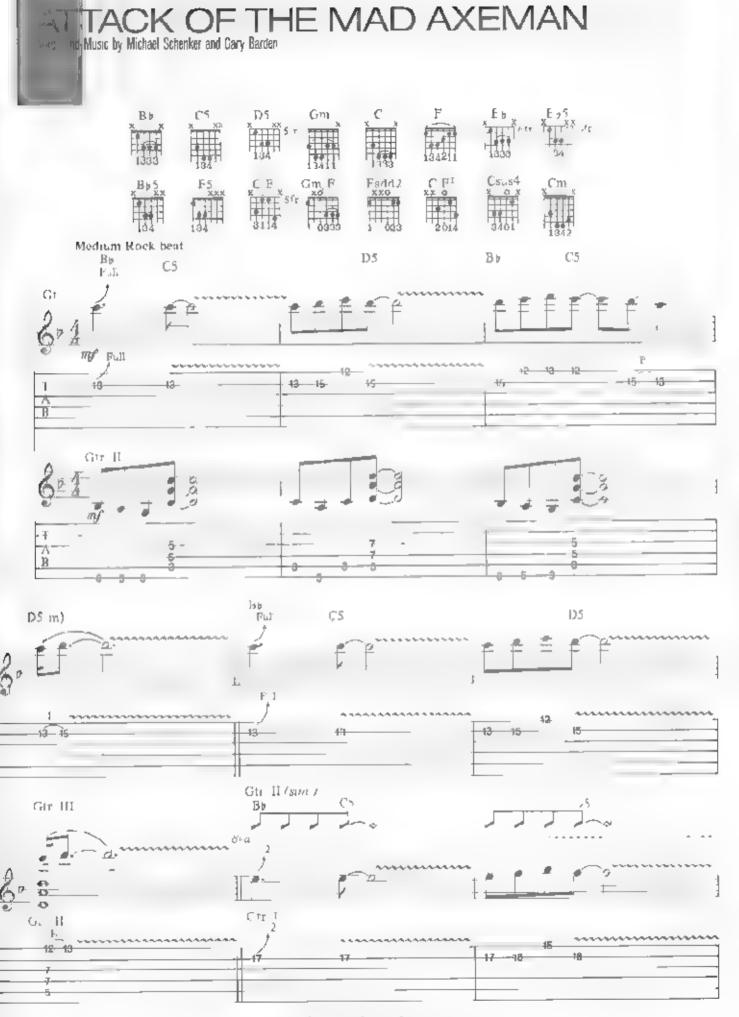










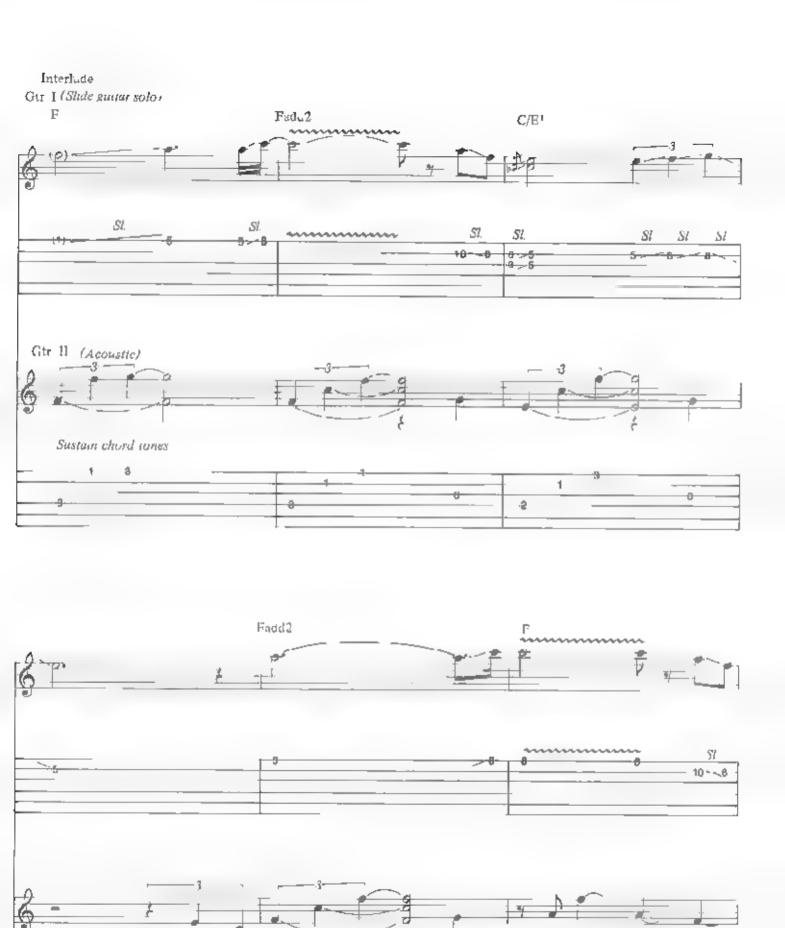


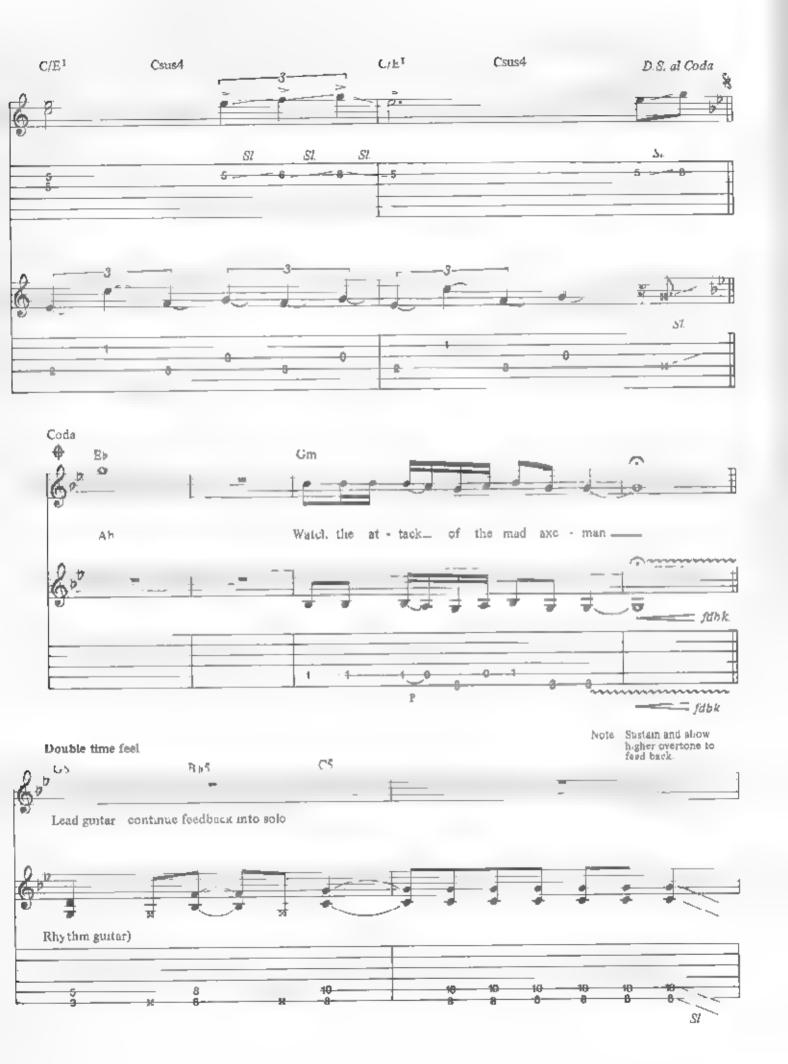




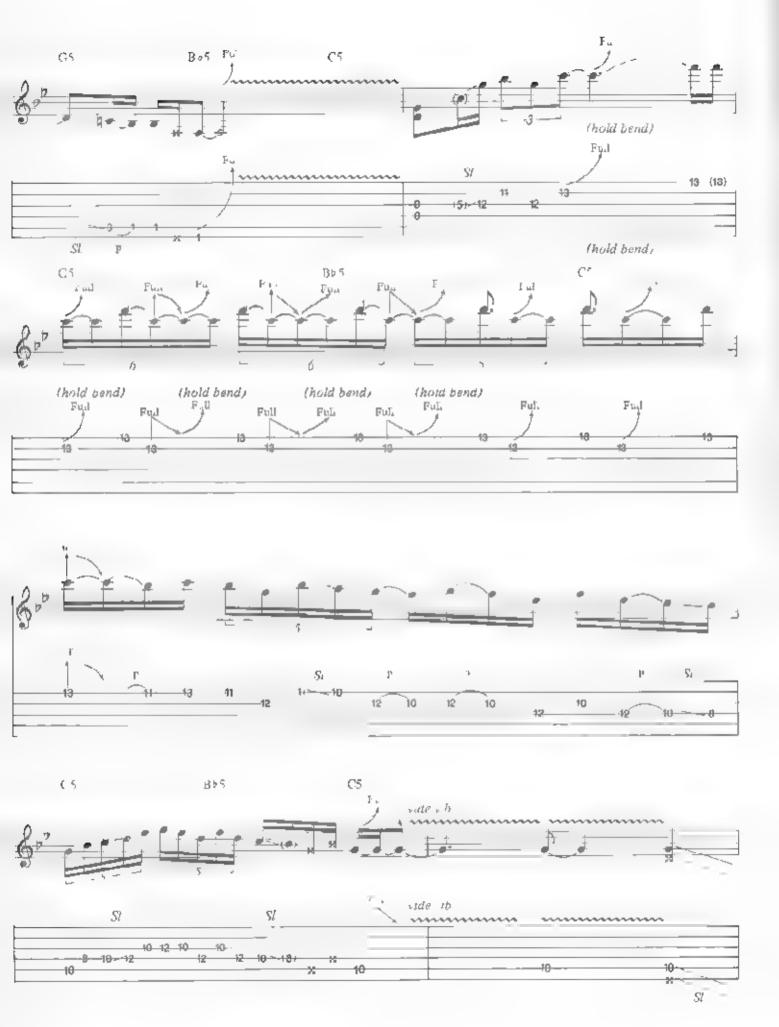


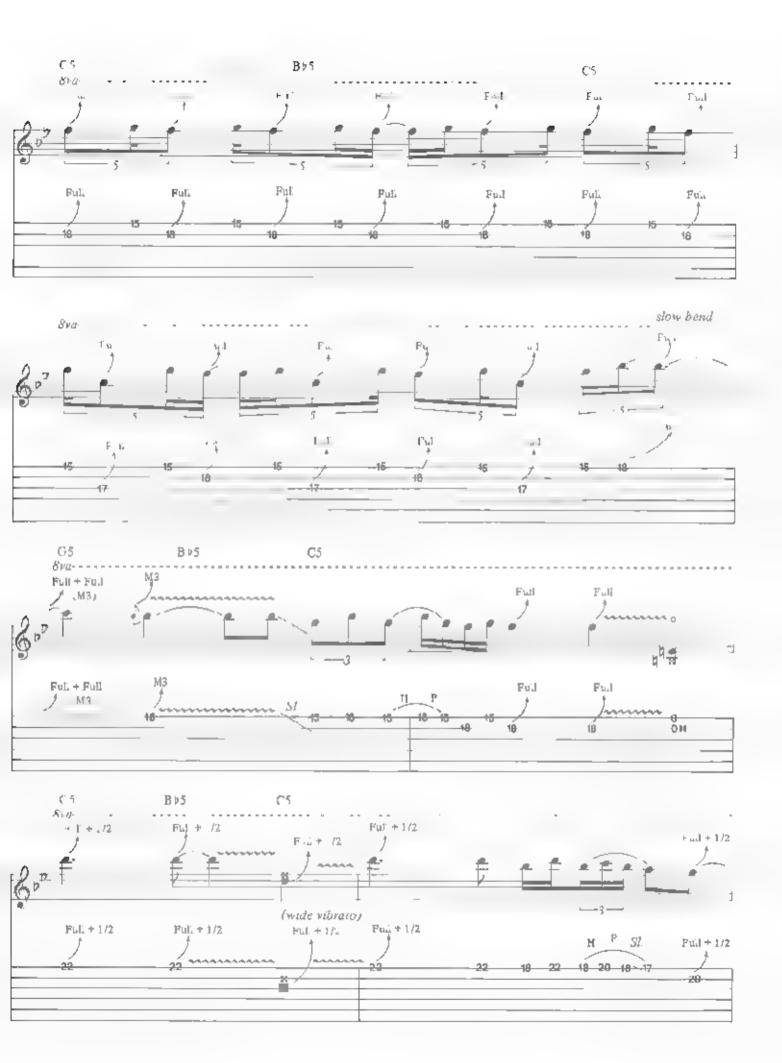




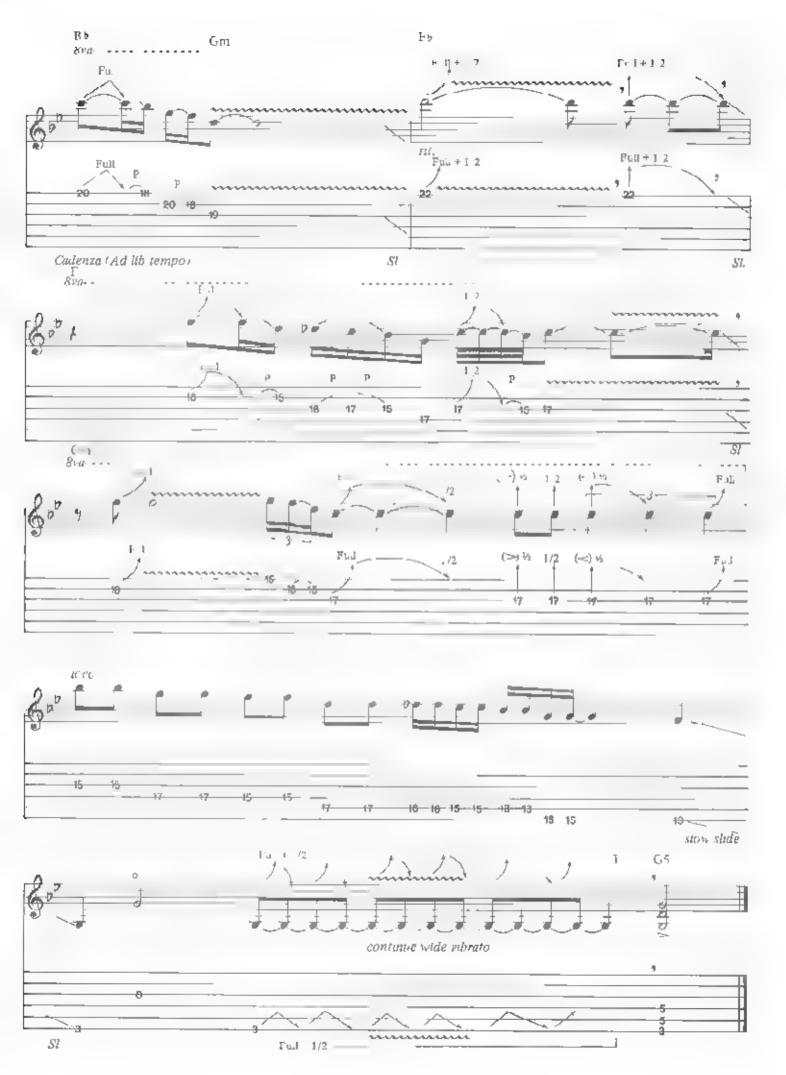




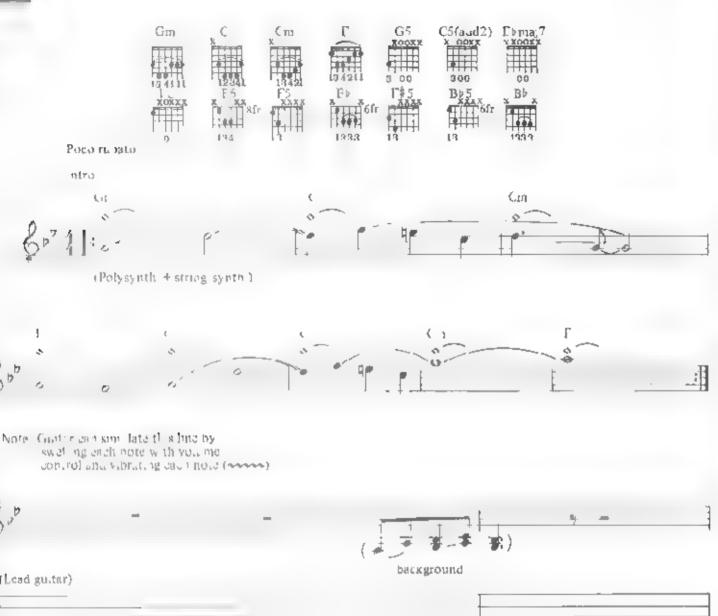


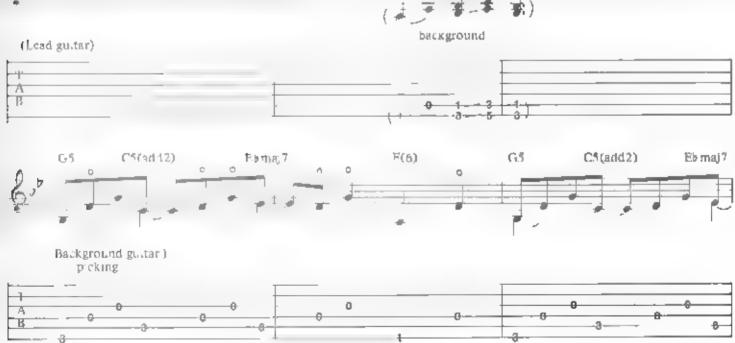


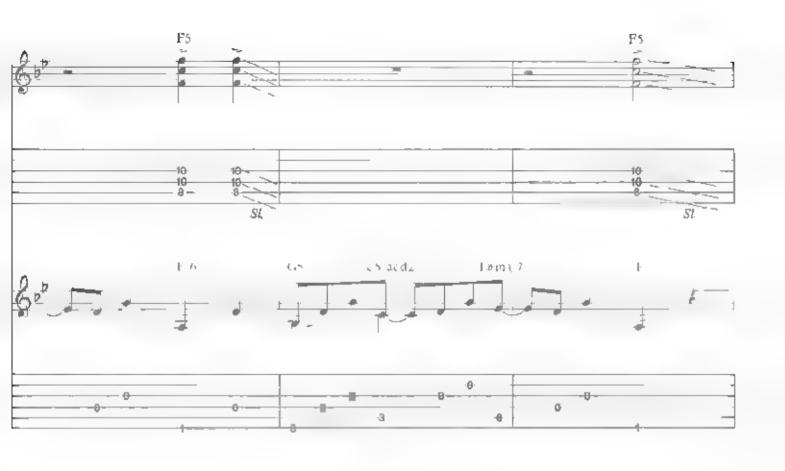


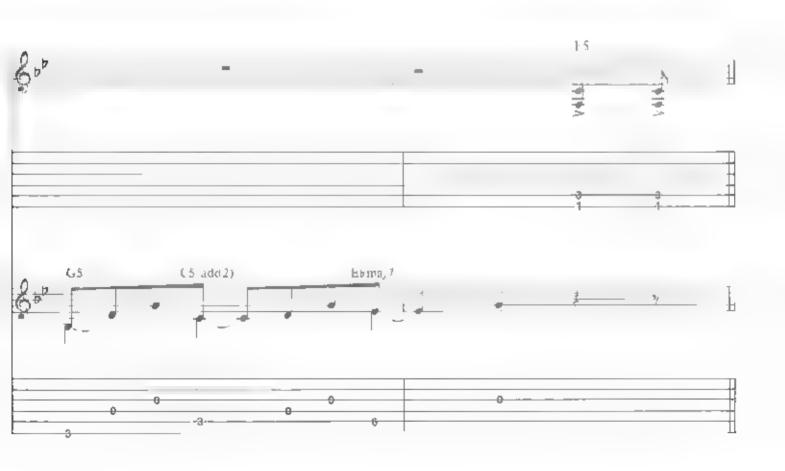










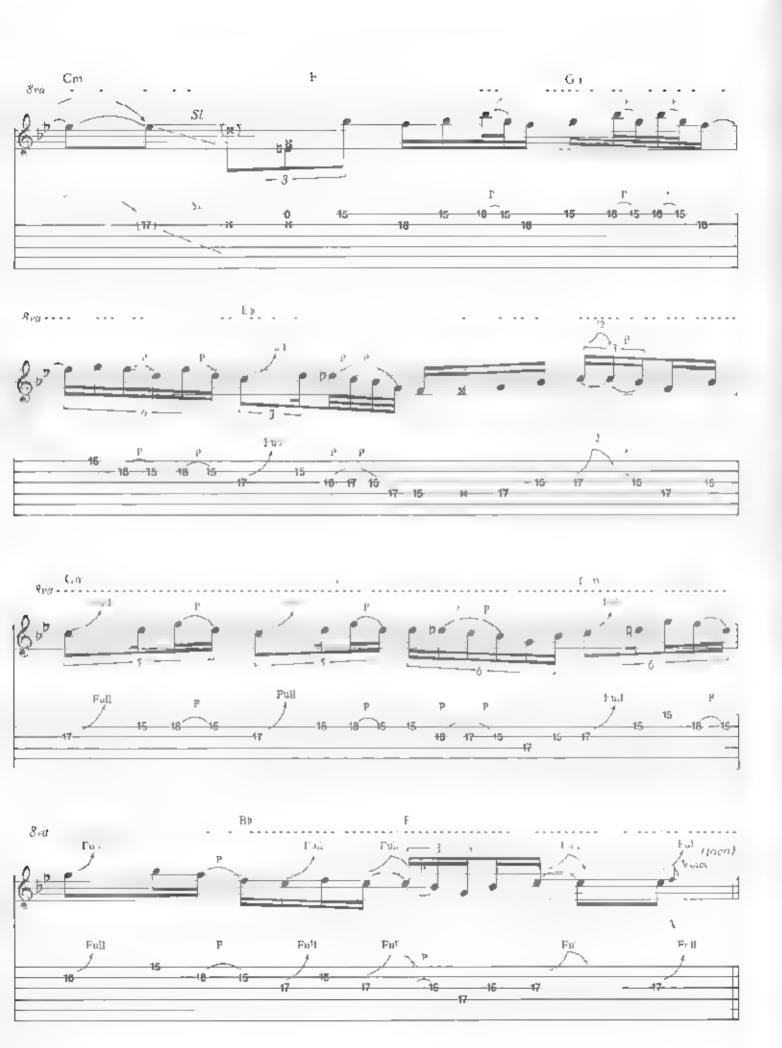


































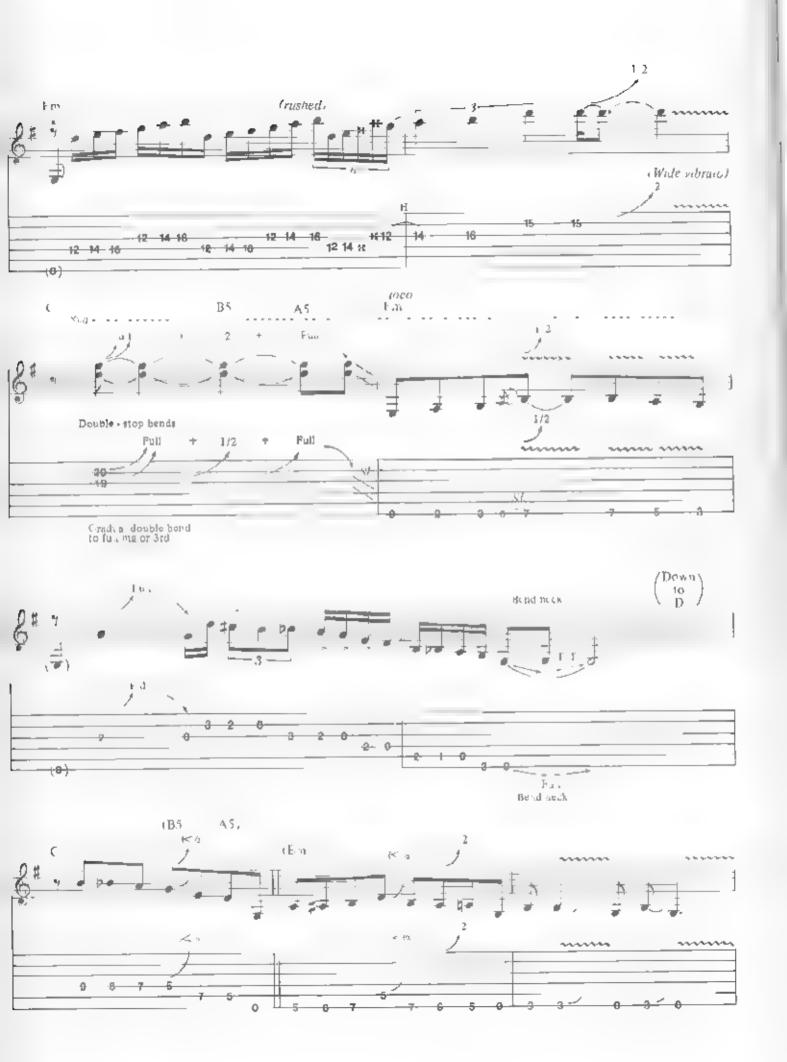






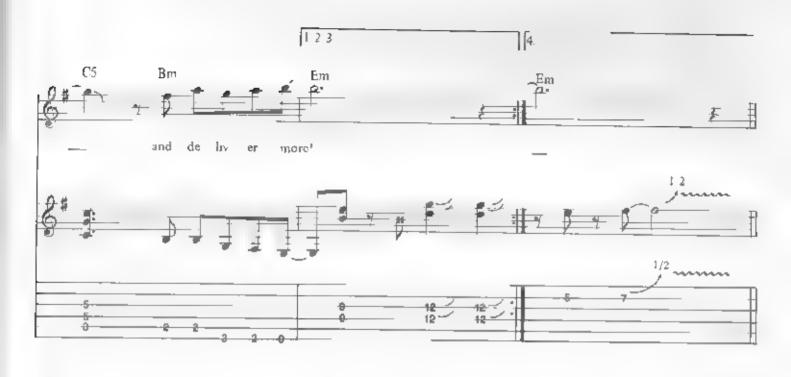
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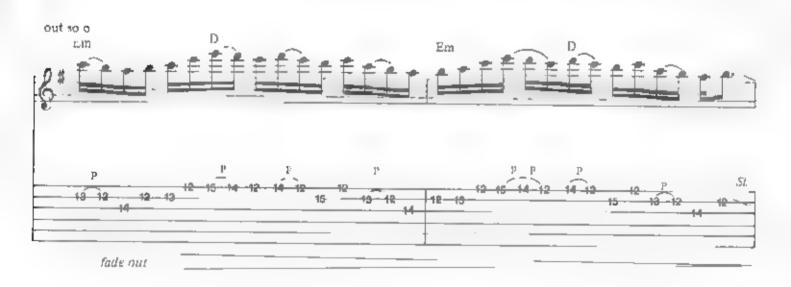


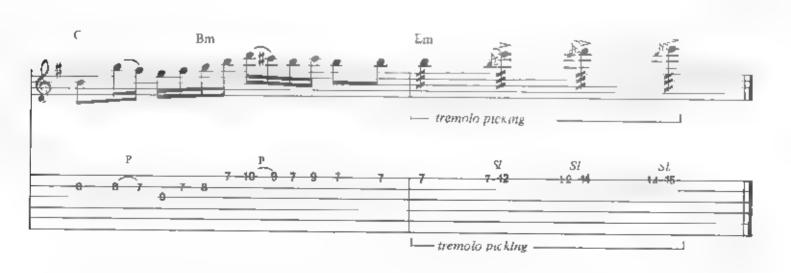










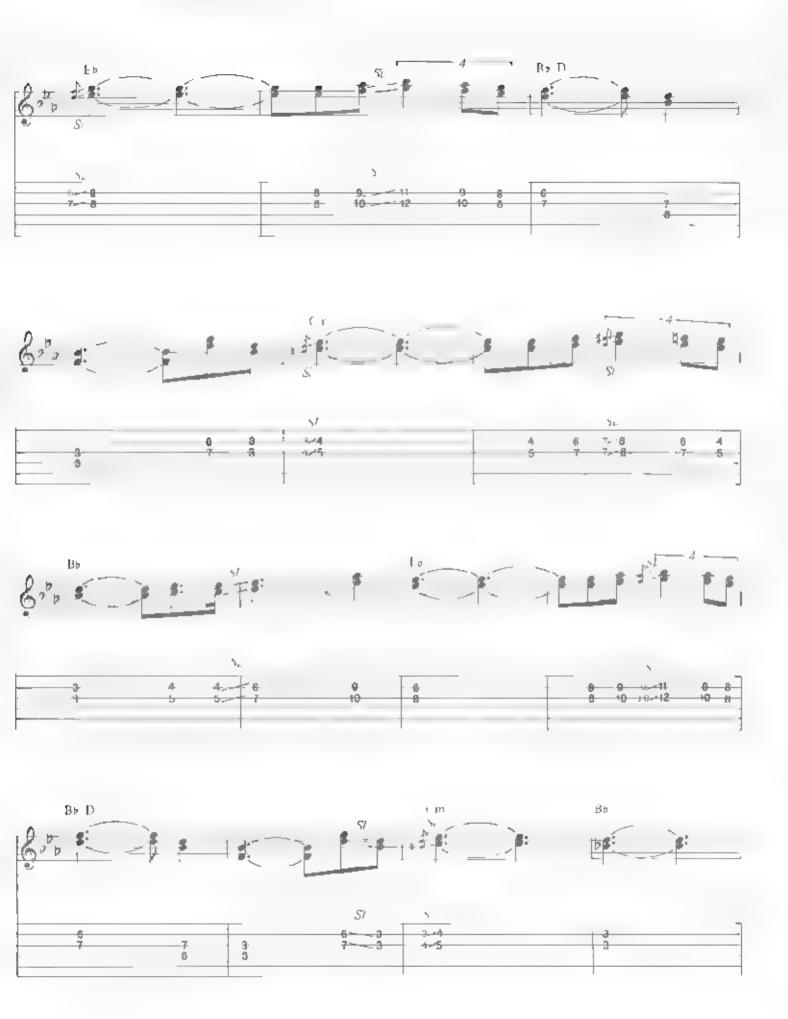




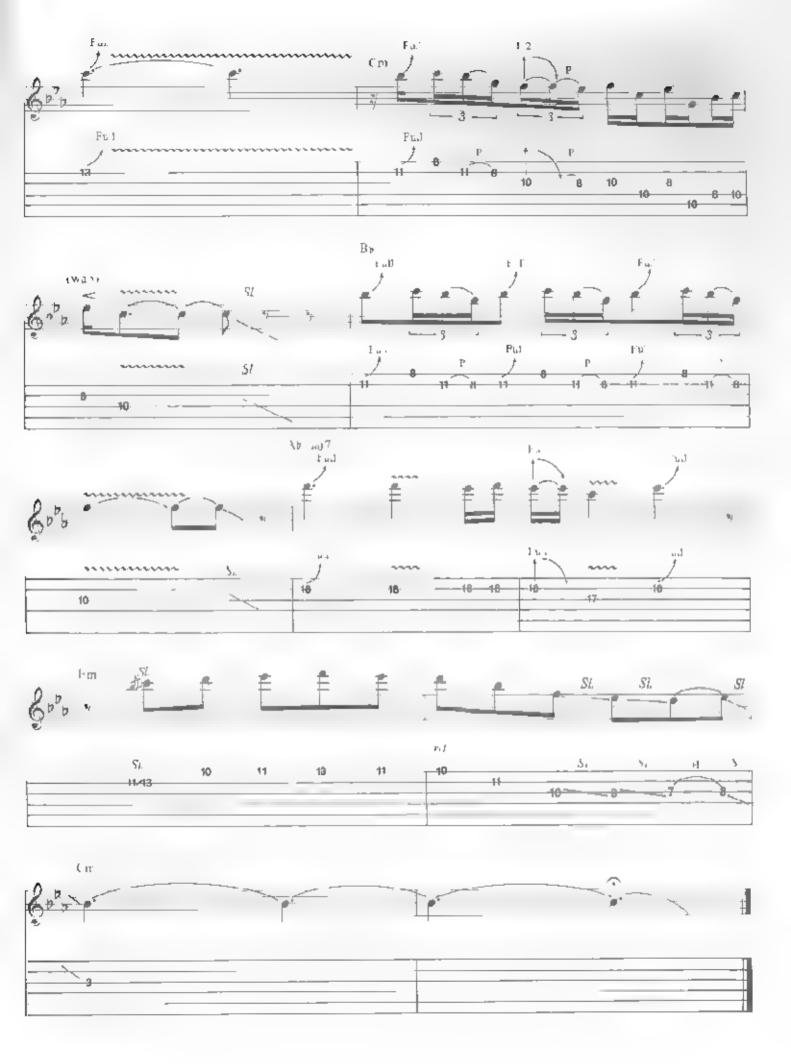
















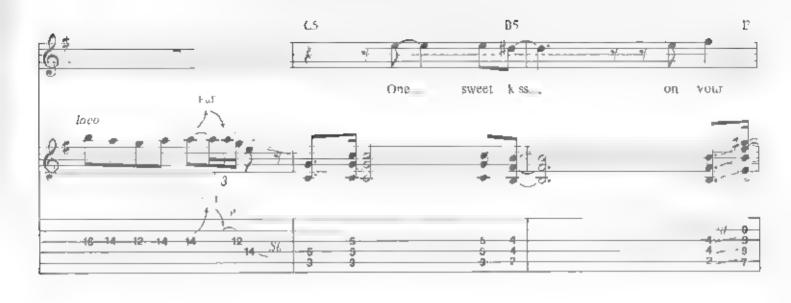


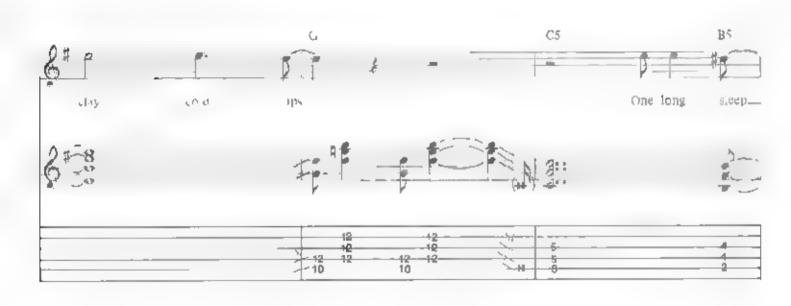


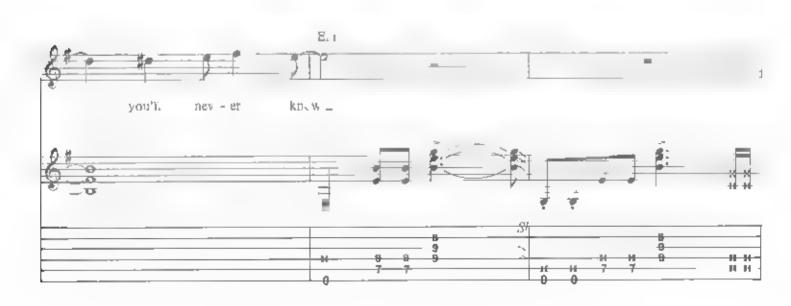




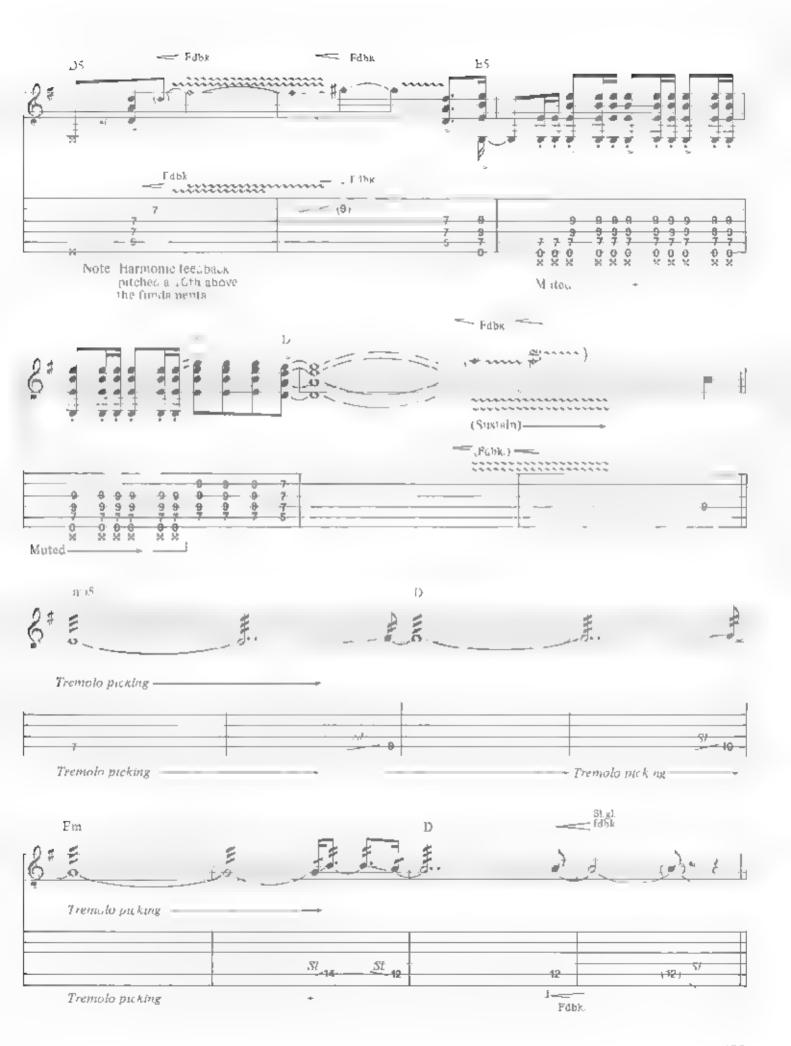






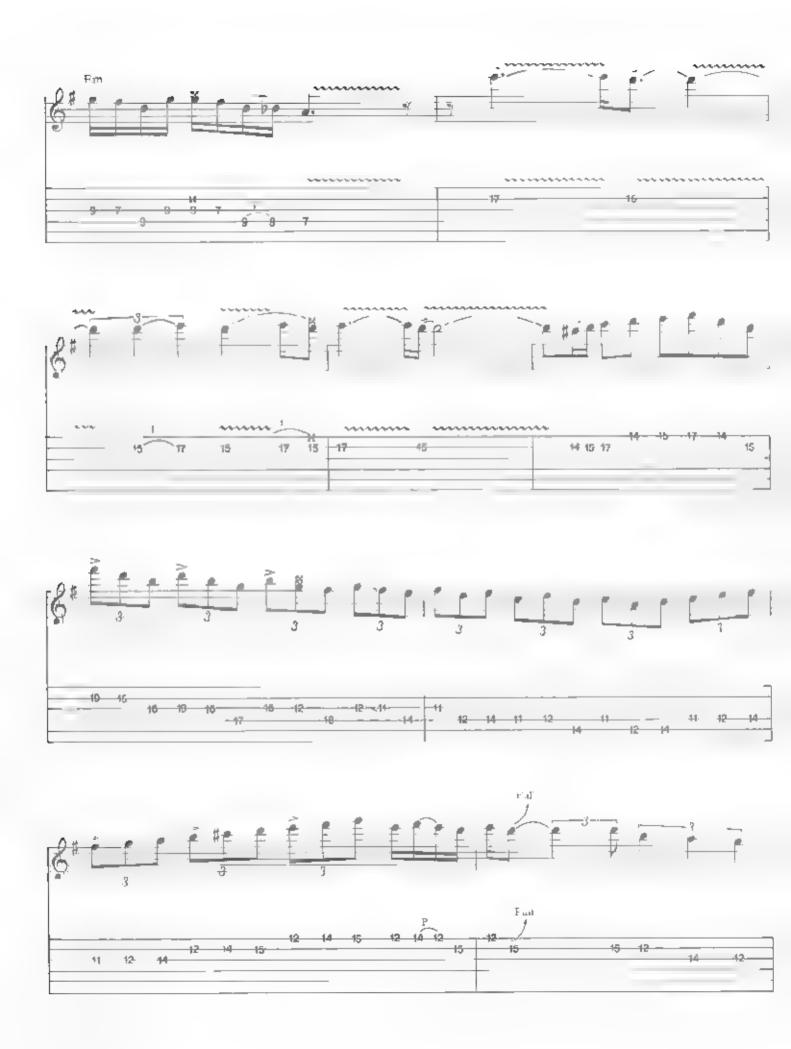


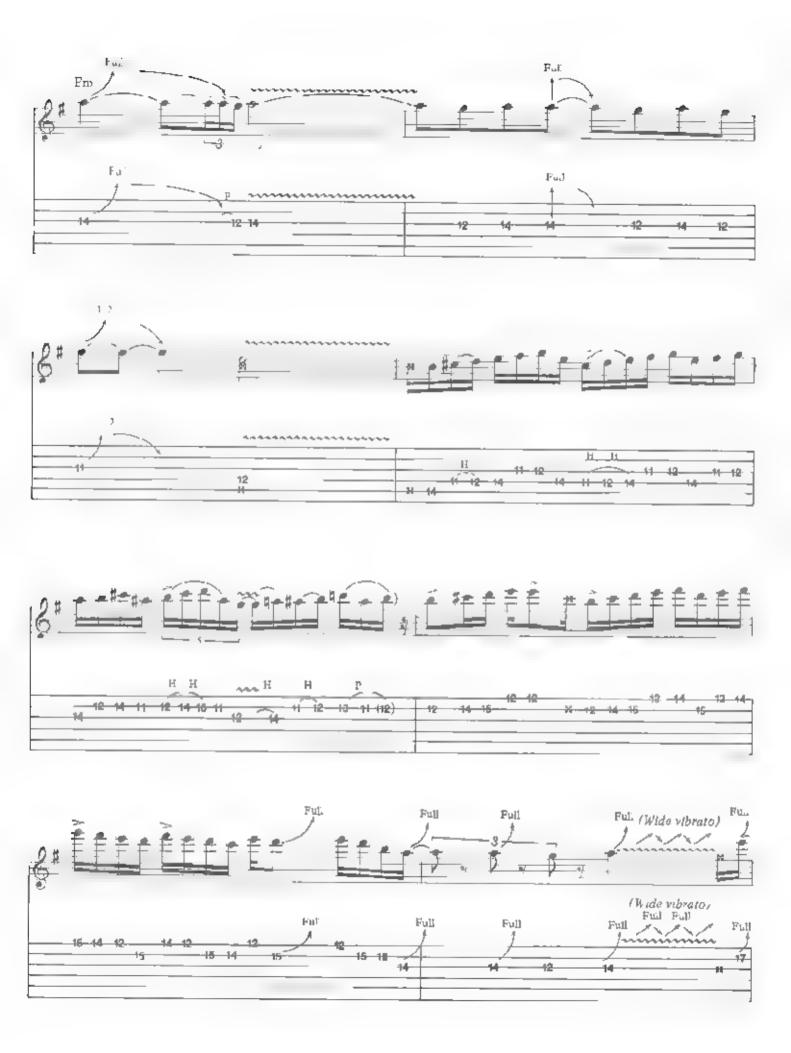




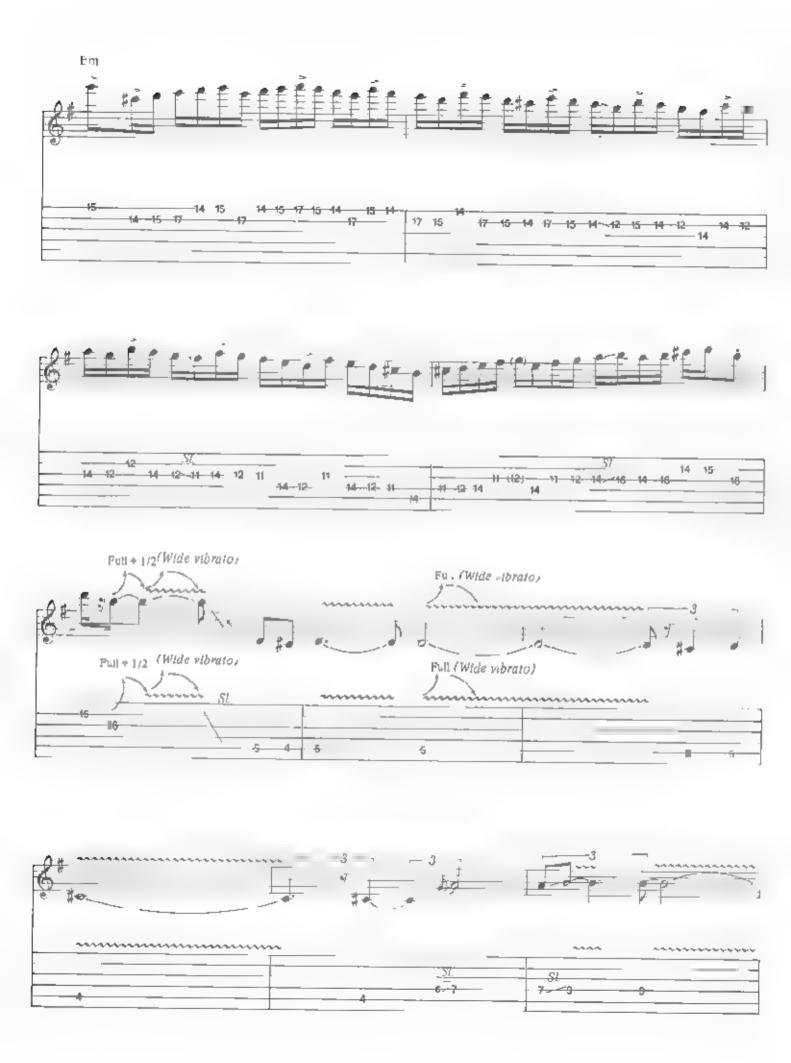


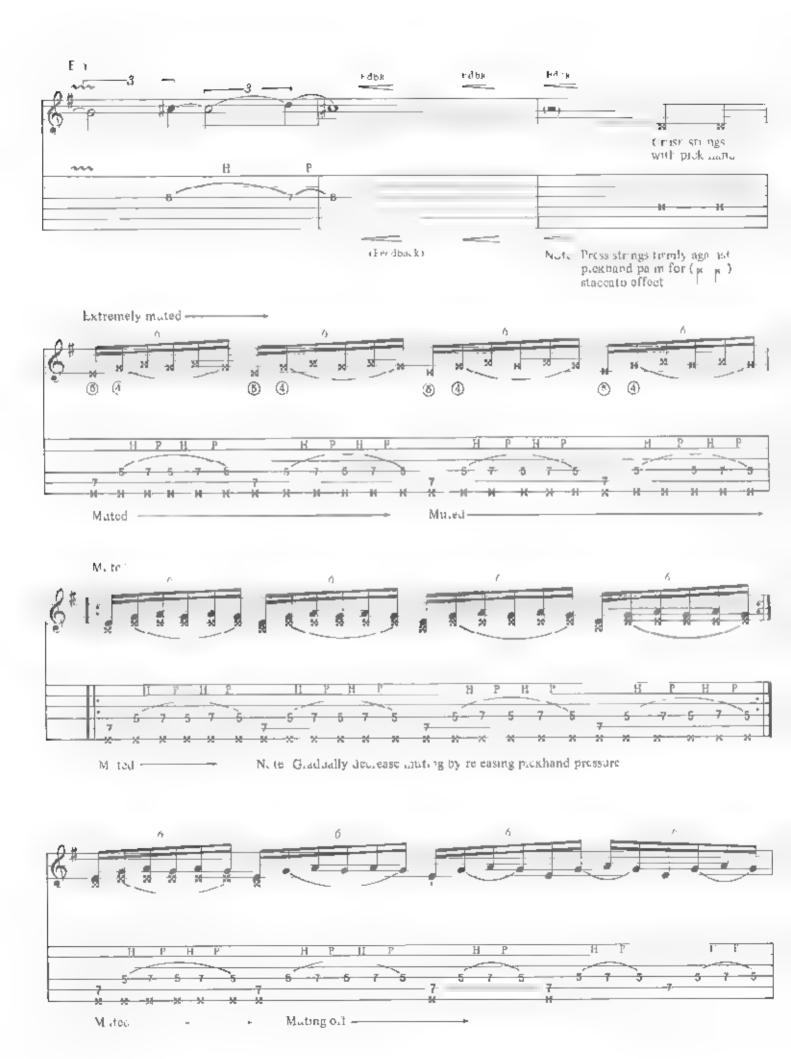


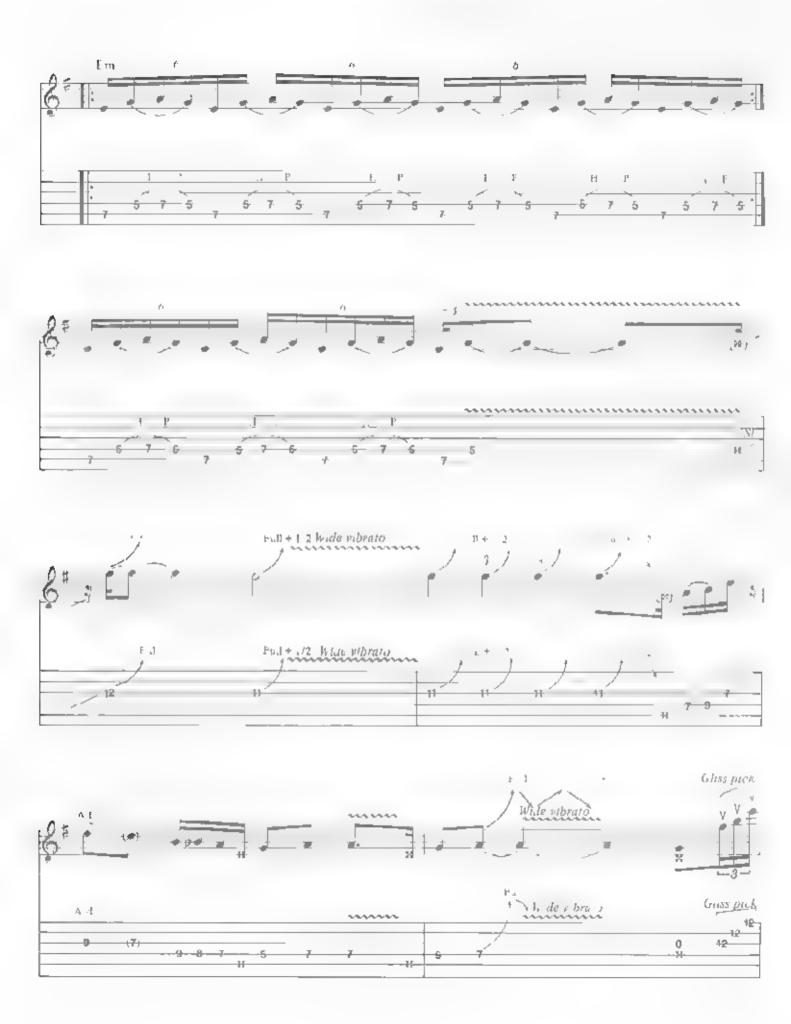




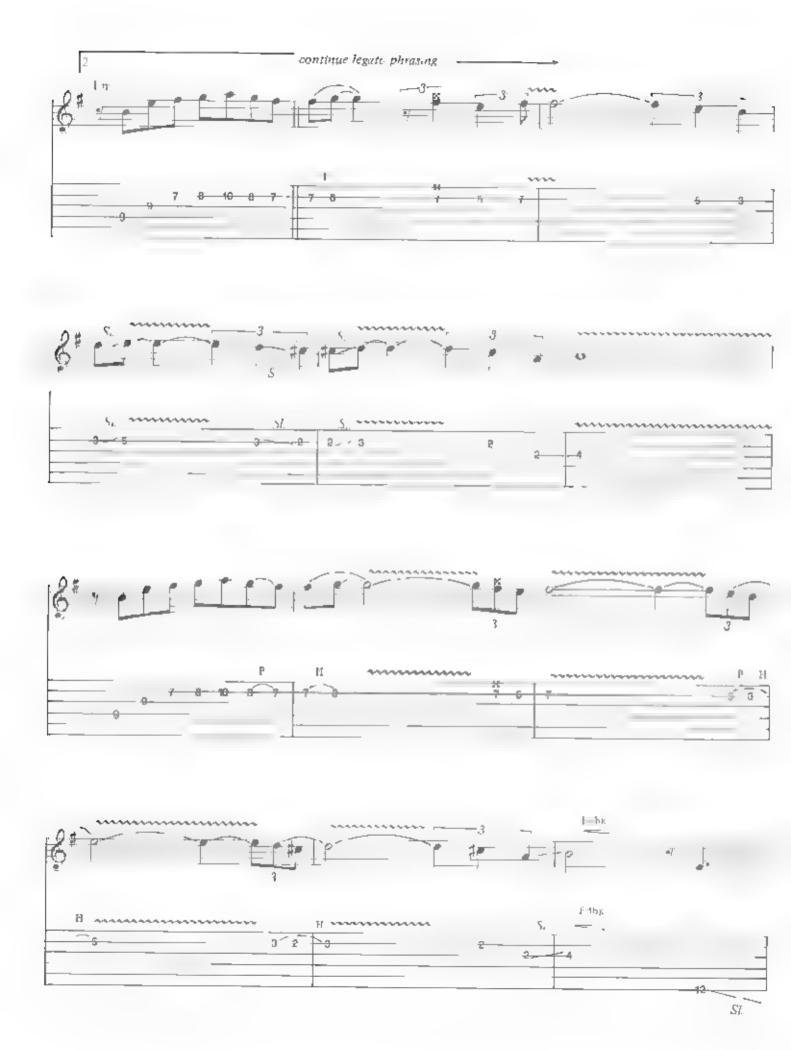


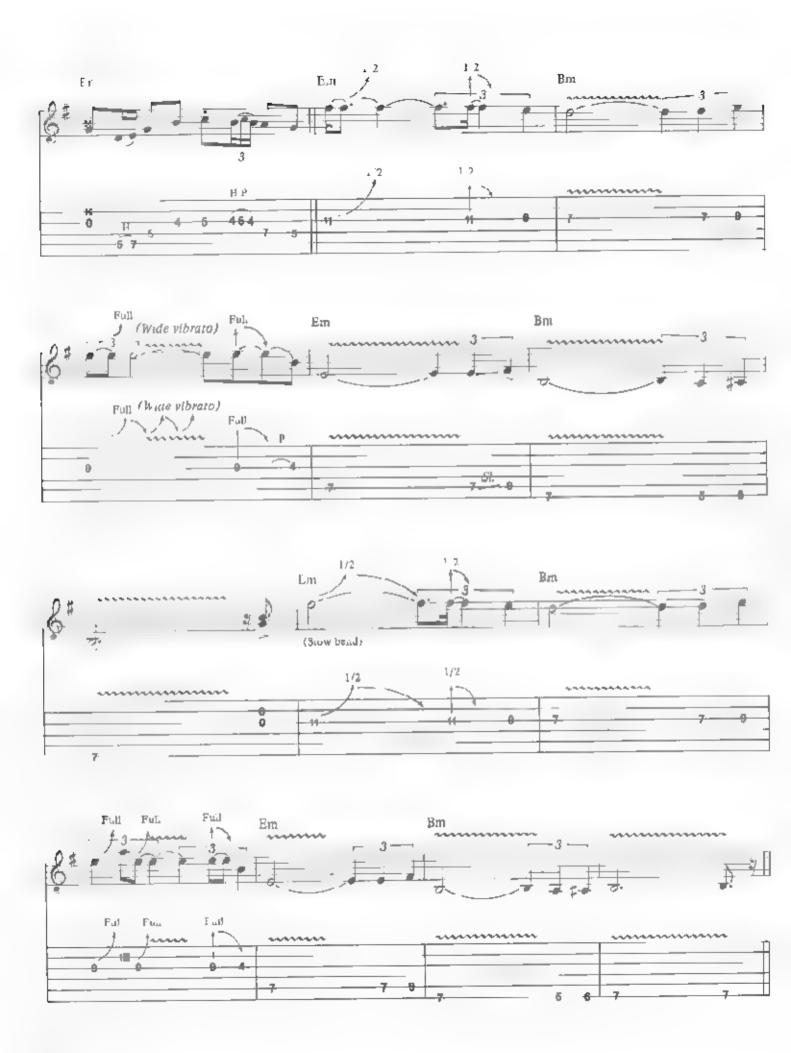




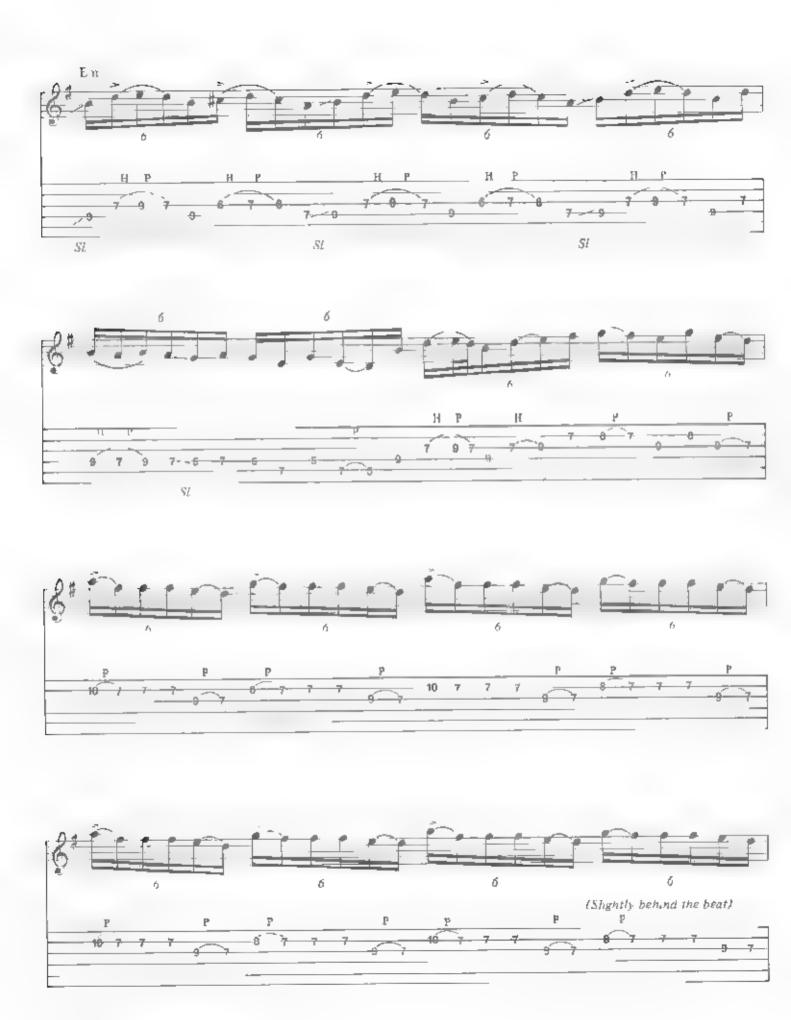




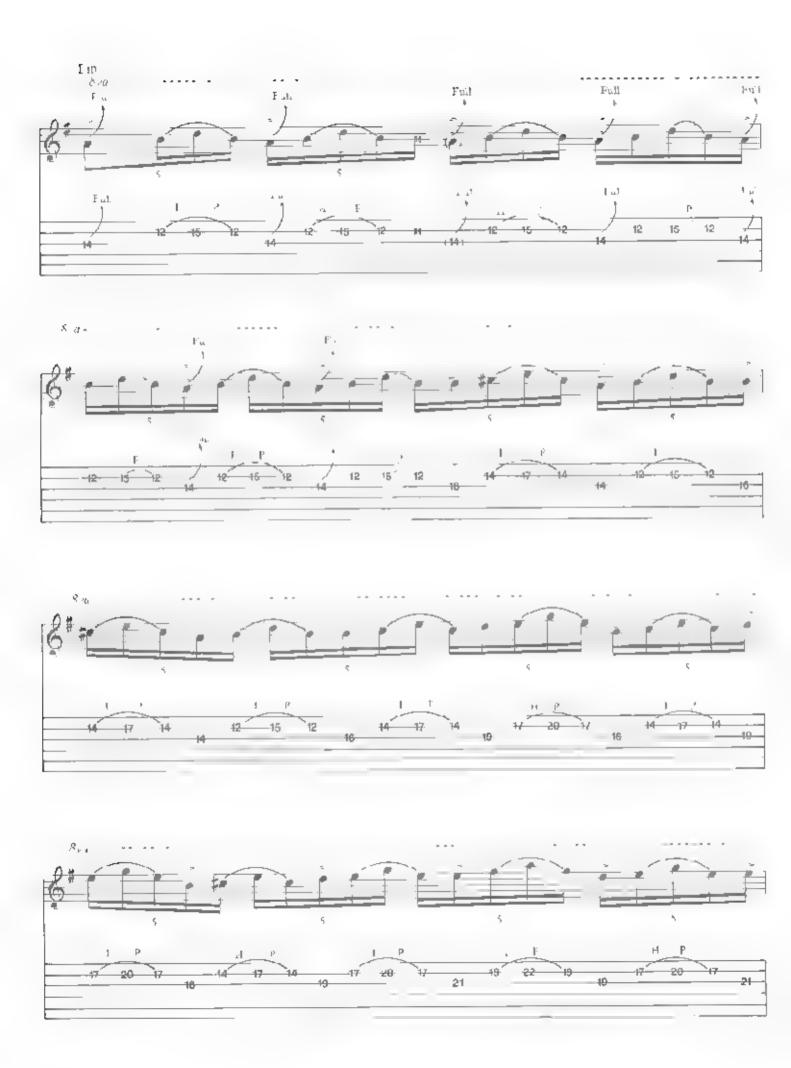




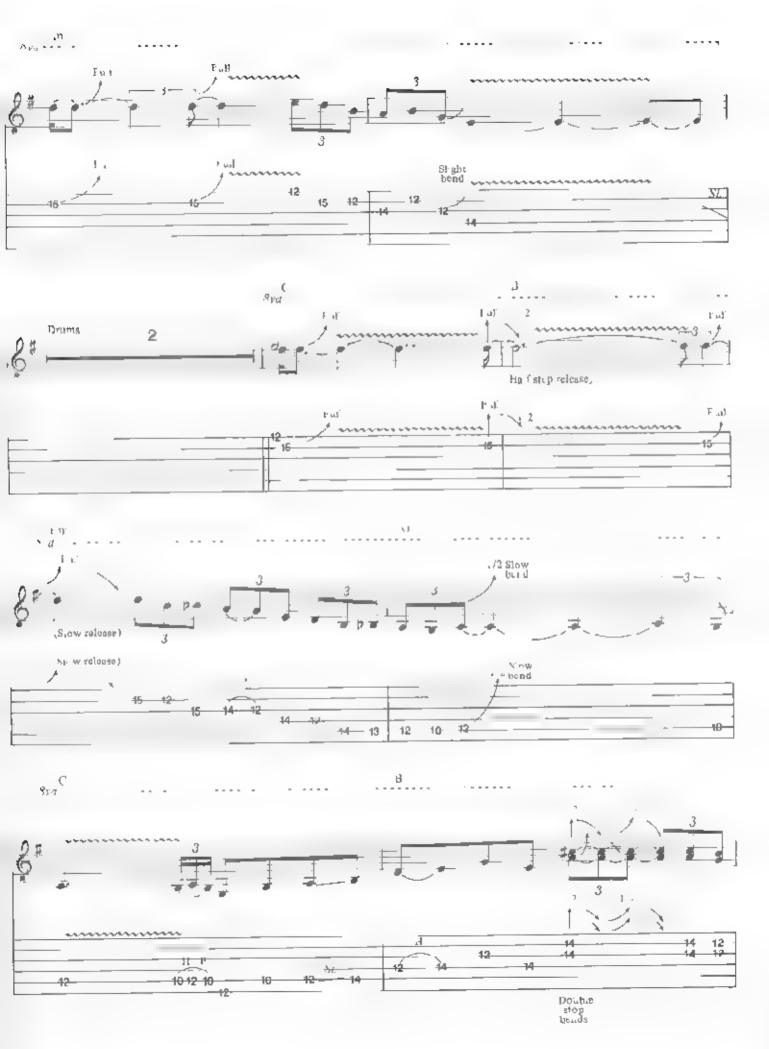






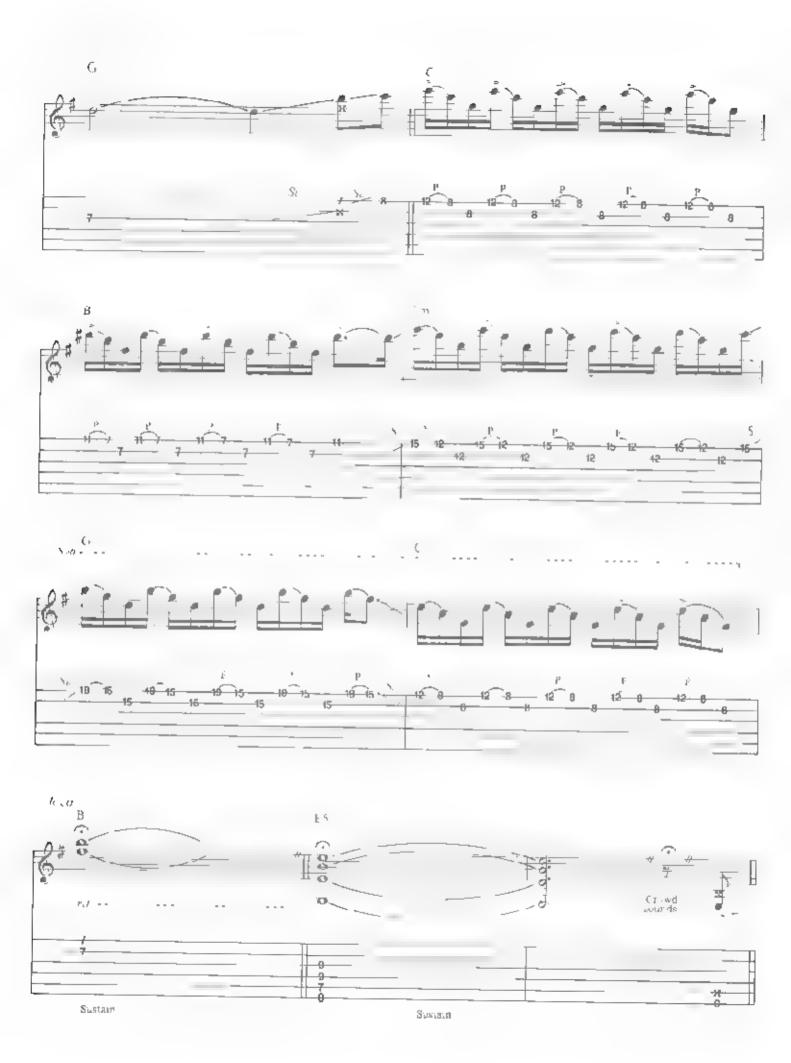




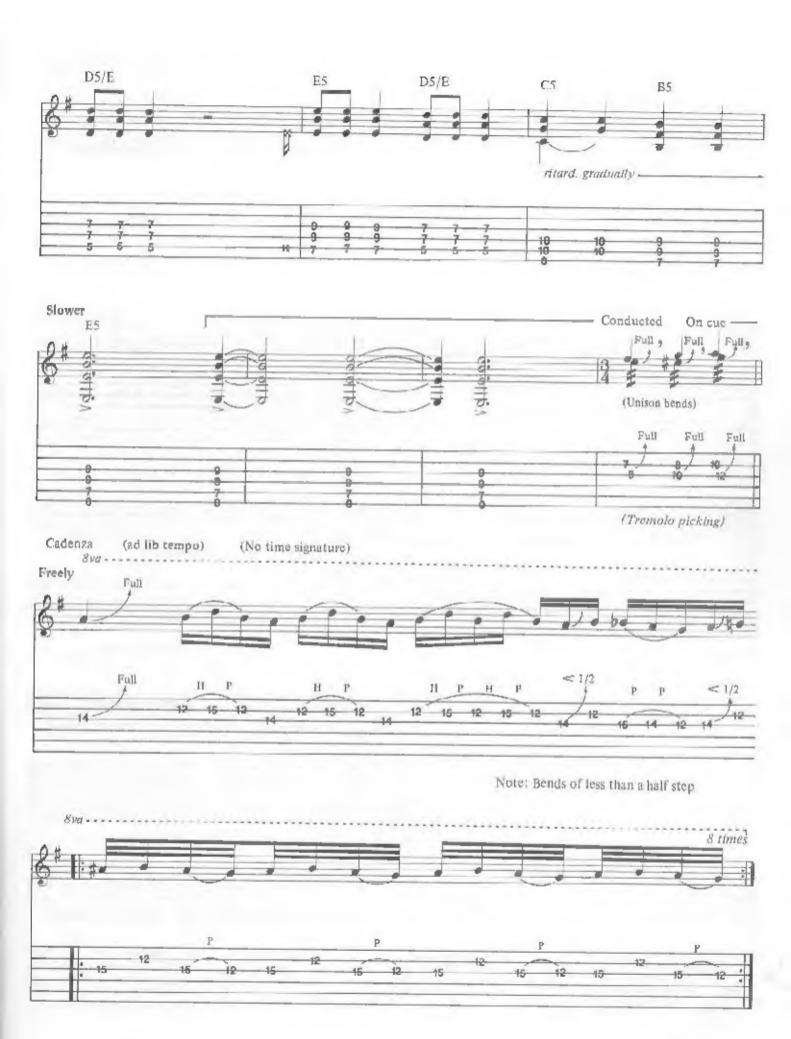




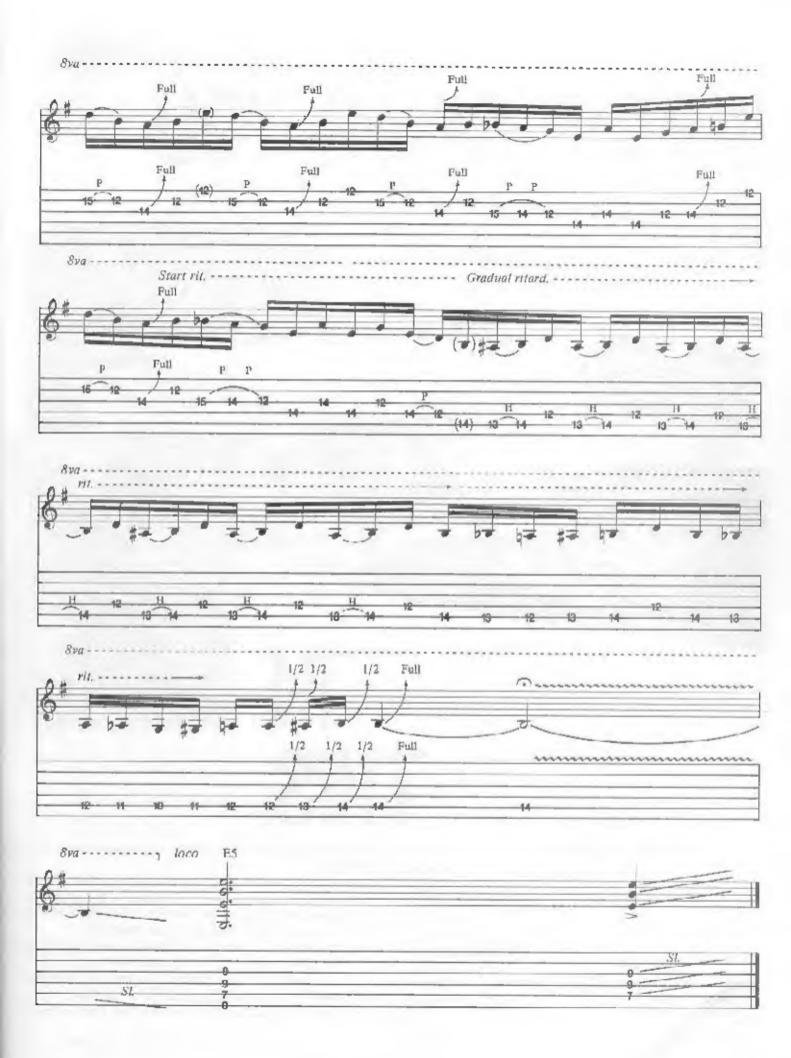












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